THE WEATHER
The indications are that it will be fair tonight and Saturday, light variable winds.

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SAVE THOUSANDS

Mayor Casey Rejects Street Lighting Contract

Mayor Casey has refused to approve the five-year contract for street lighting with the Lowell Gas Light company. He returned the contract to Chief Hosmer, superintendent of street lighting, yesterday afternoon. He gave as his reason for not approving the contract that the price was exorbitant, that the city can purchase its own lanterns from the American Street Lamp and Supply company and save thousands of dollars. The returned contract was accompanied by the following letter which tells the story in detail:

Lowell, Mass., Aug. 3, 1905.

Edward S. Hosmer, Superintendent Street Lighting, Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir:—I have considered carefully the provisions of the contract for street lighting you presented to me for my approval, and respectfully return the same without said approval. The contract is one between the city of Lowell, party of the first part, and the Lowell Gas Light company, party of the second part. It is a contract similar to the one now existing with the Welsbach company, and one in which the Welsbach company appears to be interested, as the contract stipulates that Welsbach boulevard lanterns shall be used.

I approve of the provisions of section B of said contract which says: "The lamps shall be lighted every night during the year and shall burn from dusk to dawn, a total of not exceeding 4000 hours per lamp in each year."

I do, however, consider the price named in the contract as excessive, and feel that the city's interest would not be conserved were we to sign a contract that would oblige the city to pay the sum of twenty-eight dollars and fifty cents $(28.50) per lamp per year for a period of five years.

A fair estimate of the actual expense of lighting these lamps would seem to be as follows: (I take in making these deductions, the Boston schedule of all-night service, which is a total of 365 nights, or 3,828 hours per lamp, as applicable to Lowell).

All-night service, every night, Boston schedule:

Three hundred and sixty-five days, 3,828 hours, 11,484 3-feet gas per hour, at 90c, $10.33; labor, 2c per light, $7.30; mantles and maintenance, $1—$18.63 per lamp per year.

The actual cost per lamp per year to the Lowell Gas Light company, or the Welsbach company, is apparently $18.63, yet they want to charge the city $28.50 per lamp per year, a difference of $9.87 per lamp per year. When you stop to consider that there are about 1150 of these lamps in the city each one of which would yield a profit of $9.87 a year, we must realize how very profitable this contract would be to the Lowell Gas Light company, or the Welsbach company whose contract is about to expire. A little figuring will show it. Take 1150 lamps at a profit of $9.87 per lamp, and the amount in one year is $11,350.50 profit. On a five year contract the profit accruing to the Lowell Gas Light company under the terms of this contract would be $56,752.50. Why cannot the city of Lowell save this $56,752.50 which otherwise would go into the treasury of the Lowell Gas Light company? It can.

It is well said that competition is the life of trade. I have before me the proposals of the American Street Lamp and Supply company. Its proposals on an all-night schedule are as follows: "It (the American Street Lamp and Supply company) will contract to furnish and maintain the lamps as above all night and every night during the year, on the accompanying lighting schedule of the city of Boston, aggregating 3828 lighting hours, for a period of five (5) years from September 15, 1905, for twenty-three dollars ($23.00) per lamp per year, the lanterns to remain the property of the company."

The above proposition is five dollars and fifty cents ($5.50) less then the contract price asked by the Lowell Gaslight company for the same service.

The fourth proposal of the American Street Lamp and Supply company is the proposition I would particularly call to your attention. It is as follows: "The company will contract to sell the lanterns to the city put up on the posts on the streets for twelve and 60-100 dollars (12.60) per lamp, including six mantles for each lamp."

The Welsbach company will not sell its lamps. The American Street Lamp and Supply company will. If the Lowell Gaslight company and the Welsbach company can do our street lighting at a cost of $18.63 why cannot the city do its own street lighting and save this profit of $9.87 on each lamp per year?

If we should purchase these lamps outright at a cost of $12.60 which is the first price asked, but which price can perhaps be made lower, the city would effect a great saving on the contract price asked by the Lowell Gas Light company, and still own the lamps. Take the following figures for example:

FIRST YEAR PER LAMP.

Cost of lamp on post	$12.60
Gas, 3828 ft. @ 90c	10.33
Labor at 2c per lamp	7.30
Mantles and maintenance	1.00
	$31.23
Next four years at $18.63 each year	74.52
Total for five years	$105.75
Gas Light Co., five years at $28.50	142.50
Cash saving per lamp	$ 36.75
Add cost of lamp	12.60
Total Saving per lamp	$49.35

On a five year contract, or a total saving of $56,752.50 (including cost of lamps.)

Saving in cash, five years	$42,252.50
Add cost of lamps	14,500.00
Total saving	$56,752.50

It may be said that the lamp of the American Street Lamp and Supply company is not equal in quality of light to that of the Welsbach company. Its sample light, located at the corner of Merrimack and Kirk streets, however, shows as much intensity of light as does the Welsbach. It is not obligatory that we purchase lamps from the American Co. If the Welsbach company will sell their lamps at a fair price then it would be advisable to purchase them, as they are already in position, or purchase the lamps of some other competing company.

The offer of the Lowell Electric Light corporation to install its Nernst lamp of sixty candle power for the sum of twenty-two dollars and seventy-five cents ($22.75) per lamp per year, all night service, seems a preferable proposition to that of the Lowell Gaslight company's offer at $28.50.

In returning this contract without my approval I am actuated by a desire to save to the city the enormous profit that would accrue to the Lowell Gas Light company, or the Welsbach company. I commend you for the painstaking vigilance exercised towards the fulfilment of the contract now expiring, and would recommend that you give consideration to the feasibility of the city doing its own street lighting in so far as is contemplated by this contract.

If we can effect a saving of fifty-six thousand dollars to the city it unquestionably is our duty to do so.

Truly yours,
JAMES B. CASEY, Mayor.

Miss Annie May Wylie of May street left Lowell Tuesday for a month's vacation, which she will spend in New York state and Canada.

Mrs. Francis Carll, president of the Y. W. C. A., and Miss Rachel Abbott go to Lowell lodge, Northfield, on Friday, for two weeks.

Miss Grace Colby, stenographer at the Locks & Canals office, went yesterday to Vermont for a stay of four weeks.

Miss Emma L. Bradley and Miss Bessie Huntoon are in Canada. They have spent some time in Montreal, and went to Berthier yesterday.

Rev. Father Bayer of Ottawa University is staying with the Oblate Fathers of St. Joseph's at the parish house in Merrimack street.

Miss Laura Pierson, sister of the lamented former secretary of the Lowell Y. W. C. A., Miss Louise Pierson, spent Saturday and Sunday at the rooms. She was delighted with the recreation room in memory of her sister. Miss Laura Pierson is now with her family in East Northfield, having been joined by his sister, Mrs. Helen Curtis of Japan, who is home for a year's furlough.

Captain and Mrs. Janvrin of this city will go to Boston tomorrow to see their son, Fred W., off for Pittsburg, where he is to make his headquarters for the future.

Mr. John F. Madden of Summer street is spending his vacation at Revere beach.

As We Are Positively Determined

To start the Fall Season with an entire new stock, we have made

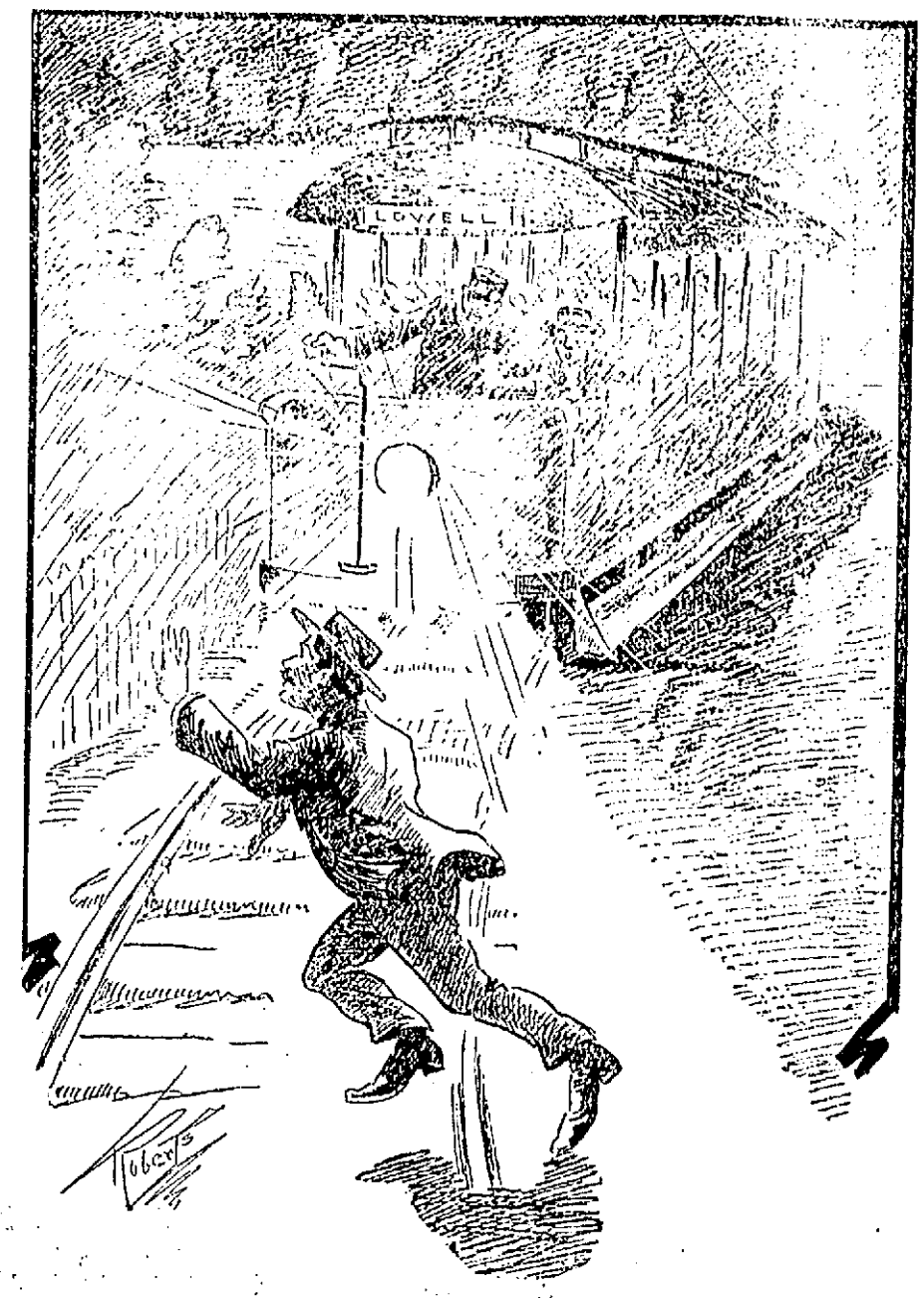
TERRIFIC
Mark-Downs
IN OUR ENTIRE STOCK.

25 Odd Suits, sold from $8.50 to $15, this sale $2.69
3 Mohair Traveling Coats, were $10, this sale $5.00
4 Linen Traveling Coats, were $7.50, this sale $3.75
3 Bathing Suits, were $4, this sale $2.50
10 White and Linen Colored Suits, coat and skirt, were $3.98, this sale $2.50
4 Long Silk Coats, were $12.50, now $5.98
Children's Wash Dresses, were 75c, now 29c
Children's Wash Dresses, were $1.25, now 75c

See our Window Display at Our New Location,

198-200 MERRIMACK STREET
OPP. KIRK ST.,
CHRIS HOLMES'
Specialty Store

Interest Begins
Saturday, Aug. 5
AT THE
CENTRAL SAVINGS BANK
59 Central Street



UNKNOWN MAN WHO STEPPED IN FRONT OF AN ELECTRIC CAR AT LAKEVIEW.

KILLED BY CAR

Unknown Man Killed Near Lakeview

Stepped in Front of a Nashua Car—His Body Was Badly Mangled—The Remains Are at O'Donnell's

An unknown man was killed by an in-bound Nashua electric car last night about 11.15 o'clock just the other side of Lakeview park. The accident happened almost directly in front of the Fels summer home, and when the man's body was picked up from under the car it was found to be horribly mangled. There is little doubt that the victim was bent upon self-destruction as he seemed to throw himself in front of the car which was going at a fairly good rate of speed.

The car was in charge of Conductor John Conley and Motorman Orrin Connell. The car had just made the curve near the side entrance to Mountain Rock grove when Motorman Connell saw a man walking up the road. The motorman sounded the bell and the man seemed to edge away from the track, and when the motorman saw that the man had noticed the car, he he let on a little more power.

Just before the car reached the spot the man apparently threw himself between the rails. The motorman applied the emergency brakes and reversed the power, but it was impossible to stop the car instantly and the man's body in a moment was under the trucks.

There were many people on the car, and those near the front saw the motorman throw off the power suddenly, and heard him cry "I have run over a man."

The car was stopped at once, and the body taken from the tracks. The passengers were transferred to another car, and the body brought in all haste to meet the ambulance.

Those who saw the accident were utterly unnerved.

Officers Cote and Donahue at Lakeview report that they kept watch of a person at Lakeview all day who acted suspiciously, but the descriptions of the two men differ in many respects and the probabilities are that the victim is a different person.

Despite the fact that there was scarcely any hope of resuscitating the injured man, word was telephoned to Lowell and the ambulance summoned. When the ambulance met the car the body was taken to St. John's hospital where upon examination it was found that life was extinct. The body was then removed to the funeral parlors of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

There was nothing about the man by which his identity could be revealed, though some tattoo marks on his arms may eventually lead to his identification.

He appeared to be a man of 35 or 37 years of age, weighed about 160 pounds and had light brown hair and moustache. He wore a new suit, of a gray plaid, and a golf cap. The most distinguishing marks were the tattoo marks on his arms which were as follows: Right arm, outside, triple heart, with a crescent above; inside, a shield, with the letter "J;" left arm, a sailor's head with a palm leaf above, and also a wish bone. The suit which he wore was absolutely new, so that nothing could be learned from that. The general appearance of the man was that he was well-to-do.

The body was terribly mutilated. Both arms and legs were severed from the body, and the neck was broken. In fact nearly every bone in the body was broken.

Money Deposited
ON OR BEFORE
Saturday, Aug. 12
Will draw interest from that date.
Washington Savings Institution
287 CENTRAL STREET,
Banking Rooms over the
LOWELL TRUST COMPANY.

PERSONALS

Alfred D. Ware, of the firm of Ware Bros. of this city, has spent a very successful month in Chicago. On July 15 he was invited to the annual picnic of the Merchant Tailors' association and the Woolen and Trimming Men's association, at Ravinia park, where they enjoyed all the national sports. One of the best features of the outing were the concerts by the New York Symphony orchestra, of 60 pieces, which was engaged for the occasion.

Mr. Eunice O'Malley, former foreman of the Ginter Grocery Co., has resigned his position to accept a place with the York club.

Messrs. Frank D. Collins and Thos. A. Sheridan will spend the month of August listening to what the ocean has to say at Nantasket beach, and will spend September in New York. They will return the last of September, to strengthen the local track team.

Born August 1 to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Buchanan, a daughter.

Eugene E. Stoughton has returned from a three weeks' vacation at Norway, Me.

Mrs. I. Carlton Macauley and children have returned from a four weeks' vacation at New Boston, N. H.

Deputy Redmond Welch is enjoying a two weeks' vacation.

Arthur J. Meade visited friends at Manchester, N. H., Wednesday.

Charles S. Underwood is visiting his sister, Mrs. Edward Field of Olneyville, R. I.

Miss Jennie Ryley of Prospect street is spending her vacation at Brant Rock.

The Misses Agnes Rourke, Mayme O'Leary, and Lena Conley are spending two weeks at Newport as guests of Miss Rourke's aunt, Mrs. Lee.

Miss May McCaffrey, Miss Marguerite McCaffrey and Miss Kelley of Somerville were recent guests of the Misses Rourke of South street.

William Cormier of Smith street is enjoying his vacation at points of interest along the New England seacoast.

Mrs. George W. Patten has returned from a protracted and enjoyable sojourn at Westmore, Vt.

of the Highlands have gone to Cottage of th eHighlands have gone to Cottage City for a sojourn of several weeks.

Ayer's
Hair Vigor. Losing your hair? And doing nothing to stop it? Don't you know that Ayer's Hair Vigor promptly checks falling hair? It certainly does. And it always restores color, also. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

LATEST

"SWEET ANNIE MOORE"

Torgetta Sang It to His Neighbor

And Now He and His Wife are in Court as Common Railers and Brawlers—Parties Live in Wigginville

Some of the good people of Wigginville went without dinner today unless they fed on canned goods, for a score of women from that village were in court all morning, interested in the case of Carl and Kate Torgetta, charged with being common railers and brawlers.

The defendants pleaded not guilty and were represented by Lawyer D. J. Murphy, while D. J. Donahue appeared for the government.

The first witness was Marie Moore of 26 Epping street, and she testified that since the first of June she cannot go by the home of the Torgettas who live next door, but what they hoot at her and call her vile names.

She said that Mrs. Torgetta would shout a vile name at her every time she saw her and vilified her character. On one occasion Mrs. Torgetta ran into the house and blackening her hands ran out again and holding them up cried at witness: "That's your color; that's your character. You have the blackest character in Wigginville." On one occasion a young man was walking home with the witness and she claims the female defendant cried out that if the young man knew who she was he wouldn't notice her. Mr. Torgetta, she said, also cried at her, making an attack on her mother's character.

"Last winter," said witness, "Mr. Torgetta had a phonograph and he had the song "Annie Moore" on it and he used to place it in the window when I went by. Once he took the horn of the phonograph and sang the song through it at her at the top of his voice.

On cross examination Mr. Murphy said: "You used to ride a bicycle on the Torgetta's sidewalk didn't you?"

"I haven't rode a bicycle for four years and I had no trouble with them over it."

"What was the harm in singing "Sweet Annie Moore?"

"It was my mother's name and I objected to him singing it to me."

"Did you ever object to it being sung in the theatres?"

"No."

"Did Mrs. Torgetta ever say anything to you that you haven't testified to?"

"She once told me that I was after her husband."

Joseph D. Dillon who lives in the neighborhood said that he had tried not to hear what was said by the Torgettas as he did not want to get mixed up in the case. One one occasion he heard Mrs. Torgetta call the whole family a name reflecting upon their parentage. He said that Mrs. Torgetta was scolding and arguing with some one nearly every day in the week and his wife had become very nervous over the actions of the Torgettas. He had seen her going into the home of the Torgettas frequently.

On cross-examination Mr. Dillon said that he had a little dispute with Mr. Torgetta bore him no spite.

He also admitted that he was the complainant in the case and had asked the witnesses to appear.

"What did the Moore's say when you heard Mrs. Torgetta attacked their character?"

"Marie said 'Fudge'!"

"Your children broke some windows in Mr. Torgetta's house?"

"No, they did not."

"Will you swear that Mr. Torgetta didn't call you over and tell you about the glass being broken?"

"I'll swear that he's perjuring himself if he says that," responded Dillon.

"Well, don't swear to that," said the court.

ANNIE MOORE TESTIFIES.

Mrs. Annie Moore, mother of Marie Moore, the first witness was then called and she testified: "On January 20 I was on my steps and she came out with her baby and placed her thumb to the baby's nose and held it up at me. Then she attacked my character and my birth. On another occasion she compelled her children to plague me. Mrs. Torgetta called me a pauper and said I came over to this country with poor house clothes on me."

Mrs. Moore also testified to statements and vile names called by Mrs. Torgetta to Mrs. Dillon.

On cross examination Mrs. Moore testified that she was friends with Mrs. Torgetta until about a year ago when Mrs. Torgetta told a 13-year-old newsboy to keep away from her daughter Marie, as her character was bad.

"The Torgetta children made a hopscotch on your sidewalk and you objected, didn't you?"

"No. I objected to them digging holes in the sidewalk and hanging on my gate."

"You sent the selectmen to the Torgettas?"

"No, I wrote a letter about the children."

"You sent the board of health to them, didn't you?"

"I did and I would again," said Mrs. Moore. "I couldn't stand the smell."

ONLY FEW DRUNKS.

Judge Fisher occupied the bench in police court this morning and being juvenile day the session was a long one. Three cases of drunkenness were released. Patrick Bradley, received the state farm but the sentence was suspended, Maud Geelan got 30 days in jail.

COALS OF FIRE.

Thomas Heffren was arrested on complaint of his wife Kate for drunkenness and assault and battery. The wife testified that Thomas came home in fighting mood last night and threw everything on the table. Thomas didn't remember the occurrence and so couldn't deny it. He was found guilty and was fined $2 for drunkenness while in the assault case he was given one month in jail suspended. The wife promptly went into her pocket and produced the price of her husband's fine.

ALL TRAINS STOPPED

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 4—Extreme measures which some of the country districts are taking to guard themselves from yellow fever threaten to stop train service and may bring the federal government into the fever situation in the south. The most radical action thus far taken, is that of the police board of Calcasia, the second largest parish in the state. It has ordered that all traffic between Calcasia and points east, north and west, shall cease at once and that no one shall be permitted to enter the limits of the parish until further orders. As a result the Southern Pacific has been ordered from today to run no more trains through Calcasia, which means an abandonment of the through service of the line to the west. The Watkins trains and the Kansas City Southern trains have also been stopped. It is understood that the quarantine in a day or two will be extended to all freight trains. The effect of the orders is to stop all mail service into or through Calcasieu.

NO MOSQUITOES

NO YELLOW FEVER SAY HEALTH AUTHORITIES.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—The public health and marine hospital service has issued a circular on the prevention of yellow fever. The directions given look to the suppression of the mosquito as the only means of preventing its spread. No mosquitoes, no yellow fever, is the motto announced in big black letters at the top of the circular.

The document continues as follows: "The infection of yellow fever is carried by mosquitoes, and by no other means is the infection spread.

"Persons take the disease by being bitten by mosquitoes that have previously bitten a yellow fever patient.

"The mosquitoes to become infected must bite a yellow fever patient during the first three days of his attack. These first three days, therefore, are the most important time for preventing the access of mosquitoes to a fever patient.

"It is often difficult to decide during the first three days whether a patient has yellow fever; hence the necessity in threatened communities of placing a mosquito bar immediately around every patient who has fever of any kind, and for three days at least."

The necessity of draining and screening is dwelt upon with much emphasis.

The post office department is sending 15,000 copies of the circular to post offices in Louisiana, Texas, Mississippi, Tennessee, Alabama, Florida and Arkansas.

IN MEMPHIS

NO SUSPICIOUS CASES REPORTED THERE.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Aug. 4—Dr. Marcus Haas, secretary of the board of health last night said that no suspicious fever exists in this city. He said a careful investigation had been made into reports of fever at other places. Arkansas too, he said, is entirely free from the disease; the suspicious case at Texarkana had been officially diagnosed as malarial fever.

EXCITING TIME

Cochrian Children Left Town Farm

WERE FOUND ON ISLAND

Had Planned to Swim the Stream

AMESBURY, Aug. 4—The three Cochrain children, Margaret, Barbara and John, 11, 9 and 7 years respectively, who escaped from the home for Little Wanderers in Boston Wednesday, have had an exciting time since reaching here at the expense of the Boston police.

Upon the arrival of the train at 3 Wednesday afternoon the children lost no time at the station, knowing that an officer was on duty there. While Conductor Pease was making known to Patrolman O'Neil that he had three children who had been placed in his care by the Boston officers, the runaways were improving their time by making for their home, not a great distance away.

John Cochrain, father of the children, was there to meet them, and having been somewhat opposed to having his home broken up by the sending away of his children, he hastily greeted them and at once placed them aboard the 5.5 Hampton car, with instructions for them to go to a relative's house at Hampton Falls.

The children upon arriving at their destination were not wanted, and after having been given supper, were returned to Amesbury, arriving here at 9 Thursday night, the police finding them some two hours later upon the street crying, as they could not gain entrance to their home.

Just before midnight the little ones were all taken to the town farm, some two miles distant, where they had been kept previously several days during the disposition of their case. Yesterday morning, after eating a scanty breakfast, the trio were next noticed by Supt. Hooper of the farm making across the fields in the direction of the Whitehall road, nearly a mile away. Word was telephoned to the police station to head the children off as they came into town, while the superintendent gave chase. After a diligent search they were found upon a small island in Powow river, just below the dam at lake Gardner.

Upon being returned to the town farm again they stated to the superintendent that the boy of seven had planned to swim the river with his nine year old sister upon his back. How the eldest girl was to have crossed the river they did not say. At this point the current is quite strong, as it is but a short distance below the gatehouse at the large dam. The girls when they left the home in Boston were without hats, while the little boy departed with another lad's hat. They escaped, they state, by climbing the fence.

The trio were taken back to Boston yesterday by a representative of the home.

WOMAN CAUGHT

NEW YORK BROKERS CLOSED THEIR DOORS

NEW YORK Aug. 4—J. H. Mansfield & Co., who have been carrying on a "brokerage" business at 11 Broadway for about half a year, suspended operations yesterday. A notice was posted on the door saying that the firm had "temporarily suspended" and that business would soon be resumed. A lawyer who has fourteen claims for sums ranging from $10 to $250 against the firm would like to know their whereabouts.

J. T. Mansfield & Co. have been doing a pretty big business of its kind and have advertised extensively in what have been called "Red Letters." These "Red Letters" contained directions for making money on the "put protection plan." The members of the firm were John T. Mansfield, president, James H. Mansfield, treasurer and Rosette Bressler, secretary. The firm didn't belong to any exchange.

After the firm had closed its doors yesterday nearly a hundred people, many of them women, tried to get in. The concern ran a women's department, and its business among women was said to be large.

Rene R. Billington, a lawyer of 41 Broadway, began to receive complaints against J. H. Mansfield & Co. about a month ago. Altogether fourteen people came with complaints that the firm owed them money, and he attempted to get them to pay up. Yesterday on the complaint of a customer from up the state the attorney threatened legal proceedings, and by noon the "brokerage" offices were locked up.

Mr. Billington said yesterday that a large number of his clients were from up state and had in many cases parted with all their savings. He hopes to find the Messrs. Mansfield.

In a circular which J. H. Mansfield & Co. have been freely distributing they state that "we are one of the very few houses in the financial district who can rightfully boast of the fact that not a single customer has ever lost a dollar through following our advice." This rosy description of one way of making money appears in the circular:

Take $100 in the stock market with us under our "put" protection plan. No insurance, no rent, no clerk hire, no clerks to steal and rob you, no bad debts, no depreciation in values of stock. Your day's business is over at 3 o'clock in the afternoon and you are free to visit your friends and any place of amusement that suggests itself to you for the evening and be free of care or worry.

With $100 you can operate in 100 shares of stock with security and safety, and if you only get one point a day, you are getting $187 profit on an investment of $100, which in one year will net you $67,900 in one, and you are taking no risk beyond the amount of your original investment.

Get Rid of Scrofula

Bunches, eruptions, inflammations, soreness of the eyelids and ears, diseases of the bones, rickets, dyspepsia, catarrh, wasting, are only some of the troubles it causes.

It is a very active evil, making havoc of the whole system.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Eradicates it, cures all its manifestations, and builds up the whole system.

Accept no substitute.

KILLED BY TRAIN

Editor Was Accused of Criminal Libel

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—Robert W. Criswell, editor of a weekly publication, who was arrested recently on a charge of criminal libel, preferred by Representative Joseph T. Rhinock of the Covington, Kentucky, district, was killed last night by an express train at the Seventy-second street station of the subway.

The libel charge against Criswell grew out of the publication of an article reflecting upon Mr. Rhinock and censuring Representative Nichols Longworth of Ohio for having introduced Miss Alice Roosevelt to the Kentucky congressman during the visit of the president's daughter in Cincinnati. Criswell was arrested July 12 last, and was held in $1000 bail for trial. The accused man published an apology in a subsequent issue of the paper.

The death of Criswell last night created something of a panic in the crowded express station at Seventy-second street. Witnesses of the tragedy say the man came upon the station platform evidently in a hurry, and seemed restless while waiting for a train. A down-town express was moving into the station when Criswell was seen to walk close to the edge of the platform. Just as the first car of the long train approached the point where he was standing, Criswell toppled over upon the tracks. His head was completely severed from his body.

Down-town traffic in the subway was delayed for nearly an hour, while policemen and railway employes worked to remove the horrible remains. It was some time before the victim's identity was established. News of the tragedy was conveyed to his wife at an up-town hotel.

BACK TO WORK

LANCASTER MILLS WEAVERS REACH DECISION.

CLINTON, Aug. 4—The 150 weavers at the Lancaster mills who went on strike a week ago because the management would not pay 55 cents a cut for weaving fancy shirtings, yesterday voted to return to work next Monday for 55 cents in order to determine if they could earn as much at that wage on shirtings as they could on ordinary ginghams. If at the end of two weeks they find it impossible to do so, the management agrees to make a satisfactory agreement with them.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

FEIGNS INSANITY

Schidlofski Fears the Devils Will Get Him

BOSTON, Aug. 4.—John Schidlofski, who is in East Cambridge jail awaiting an indictment charging him with the murder of his wife, Marciana, at Belmont last month, wildly insists that he is tormented by evil spirits.

Schidlofski is giving Sheriff Fairbairn and the jail officers considerable trouble by his outbreaks. The prisoner is either insane or is making very subtle efforts to convince the prison guards that he is suffering from serious aberrations. During the day and night he cries at the top of his voice: "The devils are after me! They are going to get me! Take them a way!"

When a guard approaches him he beseches him to chase away the devils which, he says, are in his cell and are trying to make him kill himself.

"The devils are after me all the time," says the prisoner. "I can't get rid of them. They are trying to make me do evil."

A few days ago Schidlofski was given a newspaper at his request. Instead of reading it he separated the sheets and carefully spread them out until they covered the floor of his cell. He wanted the officer in the corridor to notice it, and when the guard asked him what his purpose was he answered: "It will keep the devils out. They come up through the floor and they make me wild. But they can't get through the floor now and I'm going to keep those papers there so they won't get to me."

He has kept the floor of the cell covered with newspapers since and says he feels easier when the "devils" are kept out.

Schidlofski, by his actions in the jail, is preparing for a possible defence of insanity. Since he was taken to the jail last Saturday he has endeavored in every way, by raving and rushing wildly about his cell, to give the impression that he is utterly irresponsible. He has annoyed many of the other prisoners by his cries during the night, and during the day he is never quiet. He stamps his feet and butts his head against the wall, but never hard enough to injure his skull.

Sheriff Fairbairn is certain that the man is feigning, so he has not removed him to a padded cell, nor had him examined by an alienist. But the sheriff is afraid the prisoner may injure himself and as a precautionary measure he keeps a guard near his cell day and night, who is expected to have the man under observation continually.

The other day Skidlofski wanted a shave. Although he is a barber the sheriff did not think it safe to trust him with a razor. He took him to the jail barber and while he was being shaved Sheriff Fairbairn and a deputy stood beside the chair to interfere in case he attempted to seize the razor.

It is expected that Schidlofski will be tried in October. But if he continues as violent as he has been during the past week it is very probable that he will make such an impression upon the district attorney that Mr. Sanderson will consent to have him examined by alienists before he is placed on trial for murder.

AMERICA'S SPA

SARATOGA IN MID-SUMMER IS THE REAL THING.

The season is on! Saratoga, the one joyous, only true pleasure spot is reeking with fun! Thousands have already gathered at the famous Spa. Broadway and its line of magnificent hotels presents a scene gorgeous and dazzling in the extreme. Early morning sees handsome equipages driving back and forth; Congress Spring Park assembles hundreds seated at tables, talking and sipping the invigorating and health-giving waters. Noon, the cars and the carriages are traveling in the same direction—"off for the races!" Have you ever witnessed the thrilling sport, which means so much to the summer Saratogian? Enthusiasm! Why, there is nothing on earth to compare with a Saratoga race.

Thousands of people, men and women, young and old, are in the grand stands. The paddock contains its usual throng of inside devotees. The sedate looking banker who has abandoned Wall street for a few weeks is here; the loud dressed, sporty looking individual who is laying his plans to beat the "bookies" is on hand; a few rail birds, just to give a touch of realism to the scene, are perched on the fence; the midged jockeys in their variegated costumes are curbing the prancing and impatient thoroughbreds.

There is a loud murmur, a rumble of mirthful chatting and low laughter—what a merry looking assemblage! Cosmopolitan, gorgeous, democratic Saratoga! No care, no class! Common in purpose, in thought; the fever of the race is on. The barrier is up! They're off! The colored jackets are crowding on the necks of their horses! Not a breath in the grand stand, then a loud burrah as the favorite sweeps from the field; silence, tense silence, as another swings free. They sweep into the stretch, two ahead! Neck and neck! The crowd is silent, the jockeys are driving for their lives! The favorite falters a moment! his rival forges a nose ahead; another cheer, and then an awful stillness as a shadow surges to the outside, swings into the open, and ere the thousands realize it an "outsider" has won the race!

Evening—now paint Saratoga, and who will wonder why there is only one Saratoga? The verandas of the magnificent hotels are thronged with fashionably dressed men and women. In the spacious and fragrant court yards are hundreds more, walking or seated at the tables, quaffing cool drinks and breathing in the balmy atmosphere. The strains of sweet music float forth from the hotel verandas.

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BROKE RECORD

BICYCLE RIDER MADE A NEW MARK FOR TWO MILES.

OGDEN, Utah, Aug. 4.—W. Samuelson of Provo, Utah, has broken the world's bicycle record for two miles at the local saucer track, riding from scratch. In a two-mile lap, handicap, professional race, he did the distance in 3:45½. This is 4-5 of a second better than any previous record.

CHICAGO POLICE

Hot On the Trail of Gamblers

MEN WHO PLAY THE RACES

Put in Strenuous Day With the Police

CHICAGO, Aug. 4.—Gamblers, intent on playing the races, and policemen, determined to prevent all race track betting on Lake Michigan yesterday, furnished an exciting struggle between law and sport.

Chief of Police Collins announced two days ago that he would no longer permit the operation of the floating pool room, City of Traverse. He asserted that they would arrest all men who attempted to board the steamer.

The gamblers circumvented the chief of police at the outset by causing the steamer City of Traverse to be run out into the lake, where she lay all through the morning waiting for the cargo of betters. Large details of police were placed on the shore guarding the approaches to all the docks from which the gamblers might make their way to the lake. It was the expectation of the authorities that the betters would leave Chicago on the City of Traverse, but instead of this a small excursion steamer, the Eagle, had been chartered and the gamblers, walking past the police, embarked and started for the City of Traverse. The police were powerless to intercept any of the "excursionists," as they called themselves, and watched them sail away.

The announced program of the managers of the floating pool room was that all passengers would be landed at Ninety-second street, South Chicago. Chief Collins, balked in his attempt to prevent the sailing of the gamblers on the Eagle, transferred his force to Ninety-second street and posted them along the shore in such a manner that it would have been impossible for any man from the City of Traverse or the Eagle to set foot on shore and escape arrest. Late in the day the Eagle steamed into the river at South Chicago loaded with 200 men who were anxious to reach shore. As soon as the boat was well in the mouth of the river the bridge was swung behind it. With escape to the lake cut off by the bridge, and no possible chance of a safe landing on shore, the case of the gamblers for a time looked desperate. The Eagle circled around in the harbor tooting its whistle for the bridge to turn and allow the steamer to return to the lake. The police stood on the shore and laughed.

A mud scow came up and whistled for the bridge to open. The bridge tender was compelled to swing the bridge and the Eagle, planting its bow squarely in the stern of the mud scow, crowded it closely as it passed through the bridge and then made a run for the open lake.

As the bridge opened the police made a rush for the fire tug Yosemite, and by the time the Eagle was entering the waters of the lake the tug loaded with officers, was tearing after it.

The Eagle headed directly toward the waters which are within the jurisdiction of Indiana, with the Yosemite in chase. The Eagle steadily drew away from the tug and after a run of ten miles, the police turned back and returned to South Chicago. The Eagle continued its course and landed at Indiana harbor from where all of its passengers made their way to Chicago by train.

Before the arrival of the Eagle at South Chicago a launch came in bearing a number of gamblers from the City of Traverse and several fishermen. All the passengers on the launch were lined up on the pier and compelled to stand in a heavy rain while the police weeded out the fishermen from the excursionists. Fourteen men, who could not prove that they had been fishing, were loaded into patrol wagons and carried to a police station.

The gamblers who returned to Chicago last night declared that the wireless apparatus on the City of Traverse refused to work throughout the day and that not a message was received and not a bet was made.

TOOK HIS LIFE

AFTER TELLING HIS WIFE THAT HE WAS FINALLY RUINED.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—After breaking to his wife the news that he was financially ruined, Frederick F. Lamley, 55 years old, manufacturer of belts and women's novelties, committed suicide last night in the presence of his wife in their home, 181 Convent avenue. He had quarreled with his partner, he told his wife, and the partnership would have to be dissolved.

"I am ruined," he told her, "and I am too old a man to begin all over again."

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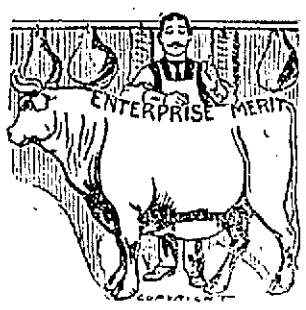
SOLDIER SHOT

Had Attacked Officer With a Sword

BURLINGTON, Vt., Aug. 4.—Private Michael J. McManus of troop H, 15th cavalry, stationed at Fort Ethan Allen, was shot and probably fatally injured last night by Corporal William Mead, the non-commissioned officer in charge of the quarters where the shooting occurred. Lieut. W. R. Tremaine of the regiment stated last night that Corporal Mead acted strictly in discharge of his duty, and no effort was made to arrest him.

According to those in the quarters McManus had been drinking, and when he appeared he was very noisy. Mead tried to quiet him, but McManus drew his sword and attacked the corporal. A number of the soldiers dragged McManus out of the quarters but when he saw Mead following he again rushed at the officer. Then Mead drew his revolver and fired. The bullet struck McManus in the side and he fell to the ground. He was removed to the post hospital and it was said that he had but a small chance of recovery.

McManus enlisted in New York 12 years ago, while Mead comes from Providence, R. I.



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Best No. 1 Standard Tomatoes, 6c can
Best White Wax Beans.....6c can
8 lb. can Best Baked Beans.....6c
2 lb. can Best Peas.....6c can
Best Canned Corn.....6c can
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Choice of Schimmel's or Tri-Color.
10c can Baking Powder, choice of I. C. and Purity.....6c can
10c can Hudson's Potash.....6c can
Choice Oredo Blackberries.....6c can
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Easter Dishes of Mustard.....6c

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2 lb. can Roast Beef.....20c
1 lb. can Corned Beef.....10c
2 lb. can Corned Beef.....20c
½ lb can Boned Chicken.....25c
½ lb. can Tongue.....20c
1 lb. can Tongue.....30c

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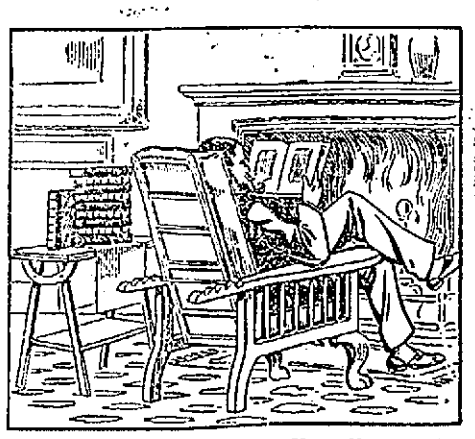

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A POOR START

Made by the Taunton Team Yesterday

NEW BEDFORD, Aug. 4—The Taunton team took Lowell's place in the New England league yesterday and began with two defeats. New Bedford won on the first game 11 to 4, and the second 13 to 2. Four of the Taunton independent team filled places in both games, and the remaining players wore Lowell uniforms. Jordan, Drohan and McKnight pitched parts of the first game for the visitors, and Huntington pitched the entire second game. Both Varney and Drohan were compelled to retire because of injuries to their fingers. The scores:

(First game.)

NEW BEDFORD.

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Coveney c	3	4	0	4	0	0
Kavanaugh cf	2	4	1	4	0	0
Mullaney lf	5	3	4	1	0	1
Burrill 1b	3	2	2	15	0	0
Kehoe 2b	3	1	3	1	6	1
Dwyer 3b	5	0	0	0	2	0
D. Murphy ss	3	0	1	2	1	1
Morrissey rf	5	0	0	0	0	0
Mack p	3	1	0	0	4	0
Totals	32	14	11	27	13	3

TAUNTON.

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Tierney lf	5	0	2	4	0	0
Wolfe ss	5	0	0	1	3	3
J. Jackson, 3b	4	0	1	4	2	3
McAloon c	5	1	1	2	7	0
Beaulieu cf	4	1	0	1	0	1
Grant 1b	4	1	1	9	0	1
Devalley 2b	4	0	0	2	0	1
Ellison rf	4	0	2	1	0	1
Jordan p	0	1	0	0	2	0
Drohan p	1	0	0	0	1	0
McKnight p	2	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	38	4	7	24	17	7

New Bedford ....1 3 1 3 0 3 3 0 x—11
Taunton ....0 1 0 0 2 0 1 0—4

Sacrifice hits—Coveney, Kavanaugh, Mack. Stolen bases—Coveney 2, Kavanaugh 2, Kehoe 2, Burrill, D. Murphy, J. Jackson, Beaulieu. First base on balls—By Jordan 5, by Drohan 2, by McKnight 3, by Mack 2. Hit by pitched ball—By McKnight, Murphy. Passed ball—McAloon. Wild pitches—Mack 3. Struck out—By Mack 4, by Drohan 1. Hits—Off Jordan 5 in 3 innings; off Drohan 2 in 1 inning; off McKnight 4 in 4 innings. Umpire—Kerins. Time—1,56. Attendance—750.

(Second game.)

NEW BEDFORD.

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Coveney c	5	2	1	6	1	0
Kavanaugh cf	6	1	0	2	1	0
Mullaney lf	3	3	3	2	0	0
Burrill 1b	5	0	3	10	0	0
Kehoe 2b	4	1	0	3	4	1
Dwyer 3b	4	0	0	1	2	0
D. Murphy ss	4	3	1	2	3	2
Morrissey rf	3	2	2	1	0	0
Varney p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Elliott p	5	1	1	0	2	0
Totals	39	13	11	27	13	3

TAUNTON.

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Tierney lf	5	1	1	2	0	0
Wolfe ss	3	0	0	3	4	4
J. Jackson 3b	4	0	0	1	1	1
O. Jackson c	4	0	1	2	2	0
McAloon c	0	0	0	0	0	0
Beaulieu cf	4	1	0	1	0	1
Grant 1b	4	0	1	10	1	0
Devalley 2b	4	1	2	2	5	1
Burns rf	3	0	1	2	0	0
Huntington p	4	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	35	2	7	24	13	7

New Bedford ....0 6 0 3 1 1 0 2 x—13
Taunton ....1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—2

Three base hits—Burrill, Mullaney. Two base hits—Burrill, Mullaney, Morrissey, Murphy. Sacrifice hit—Wolfe. Stolen bases—Coveney, Kehoe, Morrissey, Burns. First on balls—By Elliott 1, by Huntington 7. Hit by pitched ball—By Huntington, Morrissey. Passed ball—O. Jackson. Wild pitches—Huntington. Struck out—By Elliott 6, by Huntington 1. Double play—Grant to Wolfe to Grant. Hits—Off Varney 1 in 2-3 inning; off Elliott 6 in 3 1-3 innings. Umpire—Kerins. Time—1.55. Attendance—750.

N. E. LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Fall River	42	29	.592
Concord	44	31	.587
Lawrence	41	32	.562
Haverhill	38	33	.535
New Bedford	37	33	.511
Lynn	38	37	.507
Nashua	29	47	.382
Taunton	24	49	.329

N. E. LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Haverhill—Haverhill 2, Lawrence 1.
At Fall River—(First game) Fall River 15, Nashua 2; (second game) Fall River 6, Nashua 0.
At Lynn—Lynn 4, Concord 3.
At New Bedford—(First game) New Bedford 14, Taunton 4; (second game) New Bedford 13, Taunton 2.

GAMES TODAY.

(New England League.)

Nashua at New Bedford.
Taunton at Fall River.
Haverhill at Lynn.
Lawrence at Concord.

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Philadelphia	52	35	.598
Chicago	51	35	.5.3
Cleveland	53	38	.582
New York	42	41	.506
Boston	42	41	.494
Detroit	43	46	.483
Washington	33	55	.375
St. Louis	32	55	.368

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Boston—Boston 5, Cleveland 0.
At St. Louis—New York 5, St. Louis 4 (11 innings.)
At Washington—Chicago 6, Washington 0.
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia 3, Detroit 2.

GAMES TODAY.

(American League)

Cleveland at Boston.
St. Louis at New York.
Chicago at Washington.
Detroit at Philadelphia.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
New York	70	25	.737
Pittsburg	58	36	.617
Philadelphia	54	38	.591
Chicago	53	42	.558
Cincinnati	48	48	.500
St. Louis	36	61	.371
Boston	31	65	.323
Brooklyn	28	64	.334

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati 5, Brooklyn 0.
At Pittsburg—New York 4, Pittsburg 1.
At St. Louis—Philadelphia game postponed, wet grounds.
At Chicago—Boston-Chicago game postponed, account of rain.

GAMES TODAY.

(National League.)

Boston at Chicago.
New York at Pittsburg.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.
Brooklyn at Cincinnati.

DIAMOND NOTES.

Mammoth vs. Middlesexs at Middlesex Village at 2.30 tomorrow afternoon.

The two Jacksons, Tierney and Huntington were with Taunton yesterday. It looks as if Grant would have to strengthen.

Connors played third and Bigbie left for Lynn yesterday and made a hit as might be expected.

Halligan has gone back to Brooklyn and Sullivan and Houghton to South Boston. Huntington may go to Rutland, Vt. All the rest are alive and well.

The admission of Taunton into the New England baseball league has made necessary a change in the schedule. President Murnane has announced the following games for the coming week:

Monday, Aug. 7—New Bedford at Haverhill, Fall River at Lynn, Taunton at Concord, Nashua at Lawrence.

Tuesday, Aug. 8—Fall River at Lynn, New Bedford at Haverhill, Taunton at Nashua, Lawrence at Concord.

Wednesday, Aug. 9.—New Bedford at Nashua, Fall River at Lawrence, Taunton at Haverhill, Lynn at Concord.

Thursday, Aug. 10—New Bedford at Lawrence, Fall River at Concord, Haverhill at Nashua, Lynn at Taunton.

Friday, Aug. 11—New Bedford at Lynn, Concord at Manchester, Lawrence at Haverhill, Fall River at Taunton.

Saturday, Aug. 12.—Concord at New Bedford, Nashua at Fall River, Lynn at Lawrence, Haverhill at Taunton (two games).

Taunton didn't make a very fancy start.

McDermott says he is rooting for Concord to land the flag.

The baseball woods are being scoured for the Boston Americans.

Lajoie is doing finely and will be able to work in two weeks.

Cleveland has four .300 batsmen. They are Lajoie, Rhoades, Bay and Bonds.

The New York Nationals have taken 12 out of 15 from Cincinnati. That is piling it on.

The Chicago Chronicle says that Jimmy Casey is doing the best work of his career.

The victory of Pitcher Jack Taylor of the Cardinals from Boston on this trip was his first in nine.

Charley Hickman batted for .333 in 20 games for Washington. The club has been doing finely since he joined it.

Barney Dreyfuss says that Pat Powers could not come any nearer the presidency of the National league than he did.

Manager Bradley of the Clevelands has been hit 13 times this season by pitched balls and lives to be out of the hospital.

Such things as the cutting of bases ought to be cut out by any first-class manager. It is neither fair nor clean ball playing.

New Haven and Springfield played a game at Savin Rock Monday that lasted 69 minutes. New Haven won, 3 to 0, Tuckey pitching.

Umpire Laird was mobbed and ducked by Williamsport (Pa.) fans last Friday, and the directors of the club have given orders that there shall be no more scenes of that kind.

The eight consecutive defeats administered by New York to Cincinnati in the National race naturally cause one to imagine there will be a tall shake-up somewhere before long.

Fancy such umpires as McCarthy and Connor for so important a series as Chicago and the Athletics. They may satisfy Mr. B. Johnson, but evidently not Fielder Jones and C. A. Comiskey.

That young man Dygert, who is doing such fine work for New Orleans, belongs to the pitching staff of a gentleman resident in Philadelphia who answers to the name of C. McGillicuddy, or more familiarly known as Connie Mack. So hands off.

Frantz still leads the American association in batting, although he has fallen below the .400 point. He hit for .389 in 44 games, a mighty good showing. Twenty-two are above .300. Clay of Louisville has hit for .359, Oliver Pickering, the American league discard, for .310. "Tip" O'Neill, formerly of the Boston Americans, .323, Wyatt Lee .312; Gelr .291, Mike Kelley .287, Pete Noonan .276, Jack Ryan of Haverhill .266.

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MURDER CHARGE

Dwyer Was Held Without Bail

LAWRENCE, Mass., Aug. 4.—Michael Dwyer, who, it is alleged, fatally stabbed Matthew Webb in this city Saturday night, was again arraigned in court yesterday. The charge against the prisoner was changed from assault to murder, on account of the death of the victim, owing to illness of counsel he was remanded without bail for a further hearing.

A. A. U. EVENTS

WILL BE HELD AT LEWIS AND CLARK FAIR.

PORTLAND, Aug. 4.—For the first time in the history of athletics the A. A. U. has given recognition to Western athletics by providing that the national championship contests shall be held in a western city. The contests will take place on August 4th and 5th, at the Lewis and Clark exposition, now in full swing in this city, and will give western athletes a chance to show their prowess. There will be men in the contests who know the game of athletics, such as Murphy, Stack and Moulton have taught, men who are world's record holders in their events, such as the western one is anxious to see tried out, and with his own athlete on the athletic field; athletic giants from the Boston Athletic association, the oldest organization in America; the New York Athletic club, the hotbed of "cracker-jacks;" the Greater New York Irish Athletic association; the Xavier club; the Milwaukee Athletic club, and the Chicago Athletic association.

These clubs include among their members such men as Martin Sheridan, holder of the individual world's championship, track and field, of the Greater New York Irish Athletic association; John Flanagan, the world's record holder in the hammer throw of the same organization; J. J. Hicks, winner of the Marathon race at St. Louis last year, who will run here, of the Cambridgeport gymnasium; Harry Hillman, winner of three events at St. Louis last year, of the New York Athletic club; Parsons, of Yale, in the mile, and Jordan of the same place; Shick, of Harvard, in the 100 and 220; Sam Jones, the intercollegiate champion high jumper of the states; Clapp, in the hurdles and vault, and McClanahan also.

Then there will be Lightbody, from Chicago, in the mile and the half-mile, record time; Waller in the same distances from the said club. Barker, with a jump of six feet; Deverak, with a vault of 12 feet; Blair in the 100 and 220; Garrels in the discus, world's record holder in the shot, and in the same club, the Chicago Athletic association. A. Coates of the Multnomah Amateur Athletic club, Portland, who will keep them all busy in the hurdles and broad jump, and Archie Hahn, of Milwaukee, winner of three places last year at St. Louis, who will represent the Milwaukee Athletic club.

To compete against all these will be Dole, of Stanford, holder of the world's record in the pole vault; Plaw, the California wonder with the hammer; Parsons, of Los Angeles Y. M. C. A.; Sneddigar, of Berkeley, in the 100 and broad jump; Hyde, of Stanford in the weights; Gilmer, of Olympic club, in the 440, 880, mile and five mile; Hall, coast record holder in the high jump, recently made in practice, of the Olympic club also, and Abadieu, a 100-yard man, who will go in ten seconds flat; Smithson, of Multnomah, who is expected to win the hundred; Williams, in the quarter, perhaps, and Greenhaw in the half mile; Gilbert in the vault; Frissel in the broad jump and hurdles; Moores and Kuykendall in the hurdles; James, Johnson and Baker in the weights, all from Multnomah; then Tom McDonald, from Seattle, in the weights, and Grant in the high jump.

So in comparison with them all, the East against the West, is a toss up, with perhaps the East having a very small bit the better of it in the matter of records. What the climate and trip will do for them is conjecture.

BRUTAL ASSAULT

Serious Charge Against Police Officer

BOSTON, Aug. 4.—Charged with throttling and brutally clubbing Dennis Griffin, a young man who lives at 18 Upton street, while he was in a cell at Station 5 on the morning of July 4, Patrolman James McMullin was yesterday placed on trial before Judge Bennett in the municipal criminal court. The case will go on this morning, the defence having put on two witnesses prior to adjournment. Both sides are represented by counsel.

Griffin testified that he was arrested about 1 o'clock on the morning of July 4, in Blackstone Park by Patrolman Sheehan, and booked on the charge of drunkenness. He amused the spectators when he said that he was "not exactly drunk or sober." He declared he had taken eight glasses of beer, but that he was well able to care for himself. He was placed in a cell with five other prisoners.

He said he had hardly been in the cell five minutes when Patrolman McMullin came down and passed an insulting remark about him. Griffin resented it, and the patrolman, he alleges, proceeded to do him up. The young man said McMullin grabbed him by the throat and nearly choked him. He forced him up against the wall and then rained blow after blow with a club to which the cell key was attached. This had formerly been a policeman's night stick, and had been reduced in length to serve as a protector for the key. Griffin added that there were marks on his throat and that his head was cut in several places.

WIRE SIZZLED.

A trolley wire in Prescott street, near the corner of Central street, broke last night about 11.30 o'clock and falling on a rail furnished spectacular fireworks for several minutes. Traffic through the street was impeded until the repair gang from the power house [illegible] the scene.

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HEAD-ON CRASH

Electric Cars Mot On Loop at Attleboro

TWELVE PERSONS WERE INJURED

Motorman Unable to Stop Car

ATTLEBORO, Mass., Aug. 4.—Twelve persons were severely and several others slightly injured in a head-on collision between two trolley cars on the North Attleboro loop of the Interstate Consolidated Street railway late yesterday afternoon. The most seriously injured are:

Mrs. Bernard Cannon, North Attleboro, ankle broken.
Mrs. Fred Baker, North Attleboro, internally injured.
Herbert Slade, Boston, face lacerated.
Motorman Arthur Monroe, Warren, R. I., ankle crushed.
Richard Murray, North Attleboro, arms injured.
Miss Susie Klein, North Attleboro, shoulders lacerated.
Miss Annie Kerke, North Attleboro, hips and arms bruised.
Mrs. Ellen Moulton, Providence, nose broken.
Conductor Hiram Congdon, Attleboro, arms and hands bruised.
Mrs. Owen Curtis, North Attleboro, severe bruises about body.
Cyril K. Fontaine, North Attleboro, arms and legs injured.
Miss F. Meyer, North Attleboro, arms bruised.

The accident occurred just north of a switch and on a blind curve about four miles south of North Attleboro, and is said to have been caused by a mistake in signals.

A north-bound car from Providence heavily loaded came up to the switch about six o'clock and instead of stopping, kept on, and was rounding the curve just beyond at a good speed when a south-bound car, on which there were comparatively few passengers, suddenly appeared right ahead. Neither motormen had time to more than shut off the power when the collision occurred. The north-bound car was badly smashed, but the south-bound was not damaged to any great extent, and no one on that car was injured.

Dr. A. J. McCoy of North Attleboro, who was on board, rendered aid to the wounded until the arrival of other physicians from North Attleboro and Attleboro.

The company dispatched cars to the scene and the injured were taken to North Attleboro.

LABOR BUREAU

MAY BE ABOLISHED BECAUSE OF EXPENSE.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—The abolition of the state free employment bureau at 107 East Thirty-first street, is favorably considered by P. Tecumseh Sherman, who was appointe state labor commissioner to succeed John Mackin. Some time ago Commissioner Sherman asked a committee of citizens to investigate the bureau and in a letter made public yesterday they recommend the abolition of the bureau at the end of the present fiscal year. The committee consisted of Lee K. Frankel and Walter Kruesi, representing the Hebrew Charities and Charity organization; Frank Tucker, a director of the Provident Loan association; J. W. Sullivan of Typographical union No. 6 and James P. Archibald of the Brotherhood of Painters. The committee in its letter gives the following greasons for its recommendation:

"1. That the bureau is, in effect, an intelligence office for women domestic servants.

"2. That the sum appropriated for the maintainence of the bureau ($5000) is entirely inadequate to conduct a bureau which might have an effect upon the labor situation in the state in general.

"3. That the energy represented by the expenditure of $5000 annually, or any larger sum, will at this time produce the best results by dealing with the problem of factory inspection and child labor."

Reports are given to show that the work of the bureau consisted principally in finding place for women house workers, and the committee adds:

"So far as obtaining work for men is concerned, the bureau has failed to be effective. The reasons for this, we believe, are not difficult to find. The labor unions are themselves great employment bureaus for their members. Private agencies for all kinds of help have increased in number and improved in efficiency."

Commissioner Sherman, who knew of the recommendations before the letter was made public, says he will carry it out as far as possible.

What is a "Rocky Mountain Canary?" The Stoddard Lectures will tell you.

BUTLERS WILL ATTEND.

At the last meeting of the Butler veterans it was voted to attend the muster to be held at Manchester August 17, and the muster to be held at Nashua on Labor day.

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WOMAN'S SACRIFICE

Burned to Death While Trying to Save Friend

WARREN, MASS., AUG. 3.—NEWS OF THE DEATH BY FIRE OF MRS. LYMAN R. HAWKES AND MISS ANNA SKIPPER, A VISITOR AT THE HAWKES HOMESTEAD, WAS RECEIVED HERE TODAY. THE WOMEN WERE BURNED DURING A FIRE WHICH DESTROYED THE HAWKES FARMHOUSE AND BARN IN A SECLUDED SECTION OF THE TOWN. MRS. HAWKES DIED WHILE TRYING TO SAVE MISS SKIPPER.

Lyman R. Hawkes, the husband, discovered the blaze but he was unable to giveassistance to the women because of injury he received by a kick of a horse which he tried to release after the fire had broken out. The house was a considerable distance from those of the nearest neighbors and nothing could be done but to leave the fire to burn itself out. Mrs. Hawkes and Miss Skipper were trying to save some of the movable property by throwing the articles out of the window. It was while doing this that the escape of the younger woman was cut off. Mrs. Hawkes saw the danger and hurried up a second flight of stairs to rescue her visitor, and she, too, suffered the same fate. The husband tried his best to follow, but he was forced back by the flames.

The charred bodies of the two women were later recovered from the ruins. It is believed that both Mrs. Hawkes and Miss Skipper were suffocated. Mrs. Hawkes was 69 years old and the young woman was 17 years old. The property was not insured and practically everything was lost. Hawkes expresses the opinion that the fire was of incendiary origin.

MANY ITALIANS DIE

Some Yellow Fever Victims are Not Properly Treated

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 3.—Concealment until the cases are almost hopeless and utterly inadequate treatment until they fall into the hands of a doctor, are considered as partly responsible for the heavy mortality among the Italians who have fallen victims to yellow fever. Many of the Italians die because they do not get proper treatment until too late.

The situation today continued to be viewed with something like optimism by those immediately in charge of the fight. So long as there is no infection in the modern section of New Orleans the doctors refuse to believe that there is any chance of the disease assuming an epidemic form.

The excitement in the country districts seems to have grown more acute with the discovery of cases at other points. In this connection the doctors here are disposed to question whether all the cases that appear can properly be traced to New Orleans.

A whole train load of passengers on the Iron Mountain road has been held up in Concordia parish, removed from any habitation, for some time. The passengers have telegraphed to the railroad commission that they have had neither food nor water. Columbus, Miss., has decided to guard against infection by the use of rifles. Many of the smaller towns are passing mosquito ordinances.

In Mississippi the state board has issued an address to the people recommending that all public meetings shall be discontinued for a period of 30 days. Such was the rule in former epidemics.

Dr. W. H. Brunner, municipal health officer of Savannah, Ga., formerly of the Marine hospital service, who came here to investigate the situation, has finished his work here and started home today. Dr. Brunner, in an interview, said that there was not now any excuse for yellow fever over spreading in the south.

MAY ORDER QUARANTINE.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Aug. 3.—A conference between the state board of health and the city board of health was held here today to discuss the yellow fever situation in the south and the advisability of establishing a quarantine for the state of Missouri.

MORE EVIDENCE

Expected in Cotton Leak Case

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—Attorney General Moody was at his desk in the department of justice today. He said that several important matters required his presence here at this time, among them being that of a successor to Mr. Cotton, who recently was appointed United States district judge in Oregon in place of Judge Bellinger, deceased.

Mr. Cotton had accepted the position but for business reasons has withdrawn his acceptance. There are also several matters of trust litigation which require his attention.

In answer to an inquiry concerning the cotton leak investigation, Mr. Moody said that he had been in close touch with the investigation from its origin, but desired a further personal conference with District Attorney Beach. Mr. Moody said that Mr. Beach was quite able to properly conduct the investigation without assistance, but as this was a matter of personal house cleaning of the administration, it seemed fitting that the head of the department of justice should keep in sufficiently close touch with the matter to assume a personal responsibility with reference to it to the president and to the country. Mr. Beach said today that the grand jury now investigating the cotton leak would take a recess today until the 15th. He explained that the adjournment was because of additional evidence which was expected from distant points and could not be obtained before that time.

GRAND OFFICERS

OF KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COMING HERE.

On Sunday, August 13, the members of Lowell Council, Knights of Columbus will entertain the grand officers and deputies at the Genoa club.

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From Yesterday's Late Edition

HALF HOLIDAY

DOWN TOWN STREETS DESERTED THIS AFTERNOON.

The streets down town this afternoon had a deserted appearance as all the stores closing gave the hundreds of employes a half-holiday and kept the purchasers at home. Merrimack square was crowded during the early hours, the Lakeview and Canobie Lake cars having the call. But the other streets were deserted. Several private meetings were held and many men went to Boston to the ball game.

FUNERALS

WILSON—The funeral of the late Joseph R. Wilson took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from his late home, 37 Court street, and was largely attended by relatives and friends of the deceased including a large number from out of town. The funeral cortege proceeded to the Sacred Heart church where a high mass of requiem was celebrated at 9 o'clock by Rev. Fr. Flynn, O. M. I.

The choir was in attendance and sang the Gregorian mass and during the service sang appropriate selections. The bearers were Messrs. Edward McNamara, Bernard Ready, James Durkee and Patrick Kelley.

The interment was in the Catholic cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Flynn, O. M. I. The funeral was under the direction of Funeral Director Thomas J. McDermott.

MATRIMONIAL

At the Paige Street church last evening Rev. D. B. Martin united in marriage Mr. Robert McKissock and Miss Agnes J. Roy. The bride was becomingly gowned in blue silk trimmed with duchesse lace and carried sweet peas. They were unattended. They left on the 8.39 train for a short wedding trip after which they will reside in this city.

DAMES OF MALTA.

The following is from the Fitchburg Sentinel:

The annual picnic of Mizpah Consistory, I. H. Dames of Malta, was held Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. W. Conant, 161 Elm street. Although the shower broke up the picnic part of it, the affair was continued indoors and all had as pleasant a time as could be had outside. There was a good attendance. The afternoon and evening were spent in a social way and a baked bean supper was served at 6.30. S. P. Mrs. Elvira Gladwin and S. M., Mrs. C. E. Noyes, both of Lowell, were special guests of the local consistory.

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JUDGE CALHOUN

Talked Venezuelian Affairs With President

OYSTER BAY, Aug. 3.—President Roosevelt received at Sagamore Hill today several notable men, including Sir Mortimer Durand the British ambassador; W. W. Russell, United States minister to Venezuela; W. J. Calhoun, recently designated as a special commissioner to Venezuela; Lieut. Commander W. S. Sims of the navy, H. William Seymour Edwards of West Virginia.

Ambassador Durand, who is passing the summer at Lenox, Mass., made this engagement with the president to discuss with him a question pending between the United States and Great Britain and to discuss the prospects of peace between Russia and Japan. The ambassador has refrained from taking any active part in the peace negotiations because of the well known attitude of Great Britain towards Japan. He frequently, however, has discussed the subject with the president in order that he might be informed of the progress of the negotiations.

Accompanied by Minister Russell, Judge Calhoun visited the president to consider with him his mission to Venezuela.

In brief, Judge Calhoun will inquire into the relations between the government at Venezuela and European governments with a view of ascertaining whether they are in any way prejudicial to the interests of the United States, and he also will make a thorough investigation of the asphalt controversy. His report will be made to the president and probably will become the basis of future actions by this government in regard to Venezuelan affairs. It is reiterated explicitly that his mission has no relation to the Bowen-Loomis case. Mr. Russell, who was United States minister to Colombia, and recently was transferred to Venezuela, is interested deeply in the inquiry to be made by Judge Calhoun, but so far as possible, the investigation will be conducted independently of the United States legation at Caracas. Lieut. Commander Sims came to talk with the president about some naval questions, and Mr. Edwards' visit was of purely a personal character. He is a relative of the president's family.

NO PAYMENTS

MANY POOR PERSONS HAD DEPOSITS IN BANK.

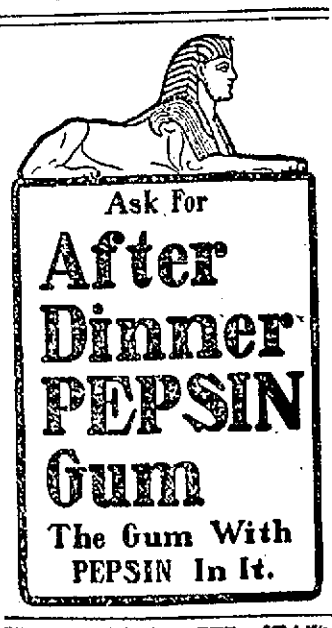
PARIS, Aug. 3—A notice was posted today announcing the temporary suspension of payments by the savings bank connected with the Printemps, one of the largest department stores in Paris. The announcement has caused great excitement. The suspension follows the recent failures in the sugar trade, one of the embarrassed sugar operators being the principal stockholder in the Printemps.

The depositors consist mainly of working classes. Minister of Finance Merlou will seek to avert the losses affecting the poor by requiring local banks to assist the embarrassed institution.

HAS FEVER

SHOT GUN QUARANTINE PLACED AROUND THE HOTEL.

TEXARKANA, Ark., Aug. 3—A young man who arrived here Saturday from Louisiana was taken sick from fever in a hotel. The patient was immediately isolated at a point two miles out of town and the case is under close observation. A shot gun quarantine was placed aboutthe hotel, none of the inmates being permitted to leave. The building was thoroughly fumigated.



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GIRLS TESTIFY

Said They Were Served With Drinks

IN A HOTEL IN BOSTON

Charge Against Proprietors of Hotel

BOSTON, Aug. 3.—Pretty Bessie Dutton, the 17-year-old girl whose mother caused the arrest of Charles J. Lavis and Timothy J. Crowley, proprietors of the hotel Continental on Essex street, on charges of selling intoxicating liquor to the daughter, who is a minor, was the center of attraction in the municipal court yesterday afternoon, where the well known liquor dealer were placed on trial before Special Justice Bolster. There was a large crowd present.

Miss Catherine A. Tracey of 11 Gainsboro street, a friend of Miss Dutton, testified that on the afternoon of July 1, she and Bessie went to the hotel, where the latter ordered four rounds of drinks. A waiter took the money for the drinks. A Mr. Holt, a friend of the witness, entered the place and more drinks were ordered, for which Mr. Holt did the paying.

In the cross-examination Miss Tracey stated to Mr. Cunningham, counsel for the defense, that her mother did not know she had some to court. She had known Bessie Dutton about two months having become acquainted with her at the hotel Navarre on Columbus avenue, where she was visiting Hugh Kaveney. The witness knew very little of Kaveney; she met him infrequently, but declared that he was visited often by Miss Dutton and a friend named Maude Prescott.

Mr. Cunningham asked the witness several questions relative to the preparations made for the case. She admitted that Mr. Benedict and Miss Dutton had a statement for her to sign, but she did not sign it.

"Were you not offered something to come here and testify in this case?" asked Mr. Cunningham. "I don't think I was," responded the witness, "unless you mean the witness fees."

The attorney asked Miss Tracey if she always wore her hair in the way it was arranged in court and she said "Not always." Her hair was "done up," but she said that at times it has hung in a braid.

Miss Dutton was then called to the stand. Being ill, she was obliged to sit during her testimony. Her voice was clear and her words were audible to everyone in the court room. She appeared to have her story on her tongue's end and the continuity of it was never broken.

On July 10, last, she testified, she was 17 years old. She visited the Continental hotel several times, the first time about Christmas time. On June 28, she went with Maude Prescott to the cafe in the hotel and purchased four glasses of beer.

In reply to a question from Mr. Benedict as to who took the money for the beer she said it was waiter No. 9, and turning about pointed out the man who was among the spectators.

Manager Murphy and waiter Sullivan were among the persons that witness said she saw in the cafe, identifying them when they were requested to stand up. She said she conversed with Murphy, who jollied them some and treated to two rounds.

The same evening the witness again visited the cafe with the Prescott girl and Mr. Holt and Mr. Rosenfield, and while there had dinner and about six drinks, Kelley doing the serving, she said.

With Catherine Tracey the witness said she again went to the hotel July 1, and had some drinks, that being the last time she went there.

SANK SUDDENLY

THOMAS J. NORTH DROWNED WHILE BATHING.

WOONSOCKET, R. I., Aug. 4.—Thomas J. North, 28 years old, son of Representative John North of this city, was drowned yesterday in Poods pond at North Smithfield, while bathing with several friends, who saw him sink suddenly while swimming across the pond. He did not rise. It is thought he was seized with cramps or heart failure.

BIG FIRE

THE LOSS WILL AMOUNT TO $100,000.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—Fire that at one time threatened havoc to shipping devastated the greater part of a block fronting the North river in Jersey City last night, damage to the extent of $100,000 resulting.

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'TIS SWEET MARIE

Tiverton Beaten by California Wonder

FASTEST RACE EVER TROTTED

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READVILLE, Aug. 4.—Sweet Marie has once again demonstrated the clearness of her title as "the greatest campaigning trotter the turf has ever had." Yesterday afternoon, over the New England Breeders' track, she defeated her greatest foe in the fastest three-heat race ever trotted—2.05½, 2.04¾, 2.06¾.

Sweet Marie's triumph over Tiverton was not easily gained. It was scored in one of the grandest struggles of racing history, and it required a mile which must be conceded to be the most wonderful ever made by a harness horse in competition.

Only two trotters have beaten 2.04¾ in a race—Cresceus in 2.03¼, Tiverton in 2.04½, but men who saw both of these record-breaking performances are firm in their belief that Sweet Marie's time in the second heat of yesterday's famous match was a greater feat.

The California wonder was obliged to keep on the outside of Tiverton, who was out in third-horse place, making the mile an unusually long one; or, to be accurate, forcing her to trot many feet more than the standard distance.

Sweet Marie won not because she is faster or gamer than Tiverton, but for the reason that she is his superior physically. No turf champion, past or present, has approached her in this respect.

Tiverton she has to wear out to defeat, and any trotter who can take the beating that this gelding can is worthy of just as much respect and praise as is given to his conqueror.

In every detail it was the grandest contest between two trotters ever raced. From the date the match was made it promised to be such, and in the training of the two champions nothing has occurred to change public opinion. The Breeders' association is to be congratulated upon securing such an attraction, and it is pleasing to record that the race was enjoyed by a crowd which comfortably taxed the grand stand, clubhouse and lawns. Had the usual conditions so necessary to horse racing prevailed, the attendance must surely have been above those of the $20,000 stallion race day five years ago.

Mistaken ideas as to how a high-class harness horse race meeting is conducted have put the sport in this section of the country in jeopardy, and have already ruined what would have been the greatest meeting ever had at Readville outside of one or two of the grand circuit gatherings.

The racing yesterday was worth going a long ways to see, even had the card contained no star attractions. No better evidence of this can be furnished than the fact that not 100 persons left the grounds immediately upon the conclusion of the big event.

TIVERTON WAS FAVORITE.

Sweet Marie's victory was in the nature of a surprise, for in the betting Tiverton ruled as favorite. A vast amount of money changed hands on the result, as wagers have been common the past month.

Up to yesterday morning the gelding was the favorite, 3 to 5, but as the time of the race drew nigh the odds changed to 10 to 9, but with Tiverton still the choice. During the forenoon a bet was made in Boston between two New Yorkers of $1000 to $900.

It was only natural that Tiverton should go to the post a slight favorite, as he has always showed himself to be the mare's superior in a short race, and it was for this very reason that Alta McDonald was so very anxious to win yesterday.

Here is an opportunity to say that never in all the years that McDonald has been driving horses has he ever given a better exhibition of finished driving.

LOWELL HORSE

ARGUENOT WON $100 PURSE AT WATERVILLE.

WATERVILLE, Me., Aug. 4—Three thousand persons saw the opening races of the Morrill race meet at Central Maine park yesterday. The track was slightly heavy, but the heats were faster than expected.

The 2.27 stock trot and pace event was perhaps the most interesting, because of the fact that Arguenot, Baby Girl and Louise E were the disputants from start to finish, the race going to the horses in the orders given. Arguenot broke badly in the first half of the second heat, and failed to recover her lost ground. Arguenot took the first, third and fourth heats, winning the $100 purse.

Bobby Wilkes, Hazelwood and Topeka were the real contestants in a field of eight in the 2.33 event and Bobby won easily.

The three-minute trot and pace was won easily by Col. Noyes.

AT NASHUA

SIX HEATS PACED WITHOUT DECIDING THE RACE.

NASHUA, N. H., Aug. 4—Yesterday was free-for-all day at the fair grounds, and with a field of seven, all pacers, both the judges and the talent were given no little trouble. Six heats were paced without deciding the race. Brown Sam was considered the best choice at the opening. Gyp Walnut was looked upon favorably, and a few expected I. T. Washburn to win the race.

The Washburn horse stepped out and took the first two heats, but in the third he started badly and finished fifth, Brown Sam winning. Brown Sam also took the next heat, Washburn finishing sixth.

Star Hal's driver got into a bad mix-up with Hayden on Ben Como in the third heat. He was taken down and Fox put up. Then Burnham drove Star Hal in the fifth heat and was distanced.

The fifth heat was run off as the sun was setting, and after scoring several times the three drivers of the heat winners were warned by starter Suhrt and got away. Ben Como took the pole and, although hard pressed, he took the heat as he had the previous one, in a walk. It was a fight for second between I. T. Washburn and Brown Sam, the latter finishing half a head in the lead. The horses were badly tired and did this heat in 2.24, against 2.14¼ for the second heat.

Belle Rock was picked early in the day as the winner of the 2.30 trot, but Advancer took it in straight heats, with the little mare second. Dore protested Advancer as a ringer, but the judges overruled the protest after looking up the horse.

Louise D and Red Pepper were picked in the 2.30 pace, and the former won in three straight heats.

NEW COMPANIES

SEVERAL INCORPORATED IN THIS STATE.

The following new corporations have been formed in this state:

CANOBIE LAKE AMUSEMENT CO.; amusement enterprises; capital, $3000. President, Warren W. Potter, No. 30 Pleasant street; treasurer, David A. Belden, No. 10 Merrimack street; clerk, Frank Woodman, No. 50 Merrimack street, all of Haverhill, Mass.

CONFECTION FOOD CO.; candy shop; capital $2000. President, Austin M. Lawrence, No. 71 Broad street; treasurer and clerk, W. G. Bunn, No. 81 State street, both of Boston.

GEO. W. TORREY CO.; liquor business; capital, $25,000. President and treasurer, F. J. Taber, No. 24 South Market street; clerk, T. M. Vinson, No. 20 Kilby street, all of Boston.

GAIN ROBINSON LUMBER CO.; building materials; capital, $30,000. President, Carlos Ruggles, Bolton, Conn.; treasurer and clerk, E. W. Hamay, Springfield, Mass.

BOSTON ADVOCATE CO.; publishers; capital, $15,000. President, I. Leon Smith, Brockton, Mass.; treasurer, B. Sosnoski; clerk, Lucy Lewis, both of Boston.

BOSTON FARE REGISTER CO.; general manufacturing; capital, $100,000. President, F. L. Adams, No. 7 Congress street; treasurer, W. F. Poole, No. 7 Congress street; clerk, M. E. Leavitt, No. 7 Congress street, all of Boston.

LEICESTER CARD CLOTHING CO.; clothing store; capital, $15,000. President, A. B. Davidson; treasurer, W. Warren; clerk, J. S. Whitmore, all of Leicester, Mass.; attorney, W. E. Sibley, Worcester, Mass.

BERKSHIRE SPECIALTY CO.; specialties, novelties, etc.; capital, $25,000. President, C. A. Cornell; treasurer and clerk, G. H. Foster, all of Pittsfield, Mass.

NEW MARLBORO ASSOCIATION; fish and game dealers; capital, $200. President, H. K. Bloodgood, New Marlboro, Mass.; treasurer, H. R. Hoyt, No. 15 William street, New York; clerk, J. S. Stone, Great Barrington, Mass.

THE S. A. DOW CO.; pianos; capital, $5000. President, J. P. Tardif, No. 30 High street; treasurer, S. Azro Dow, No. 13 Portland street; clerk, Howard B. Dow, No. 13 Portland street, all of Haverhill, Mass.

THE TRIXI'LU CO.; children's games; capital, $25,000. President, W. G. Burns; treasurer and clerk, Charles Wesson, both of No. 81 State street, Boston.

K. J. QUINN & CO.; (incorporated); shoe dressings; capital, $100,000. President and treasurer, Wm. A. Quinn; clerk, F. L. Sexton, both of No. 105 Pearl street, Boston.

THE A. E. LYON CO.; pawn shop; capital, $30,000. President, A. F. Cate, No. 28 Preston street; treasurer, Saul Elias, No. 16 Dayton street; clerk, V. M. Vickery, No. 66 Pleasant street, all of Worcester, Mass.

SPINNEY-WISE CO.; rubber goods; capital, $10,000. President and treasurer, R. J. Wilkie, No. 13 Seaside Terrace, Lynn, Mass.; clerk, S. W. Culver, Old South Building, Boston.

H. H. TILTON FIREWORKS CO.; fireworks; capital, $20,000. President N. F. Humphrey, Old South Building, Boston; treasurer, Homer T. Tilton, No. 51 Greenwood Avenue, West Newton, Mass.; clerk, S. W. Culver, Old South Building, Boston.

AMERICAN MEZZO-TINT CO.; photo-print and picture store. President, Jos N. Drew, Melrose, Mass.; treasurer, F. E. Barentzen, Malden, Mass., clerk, J. N. Drew, Melrose, Mass.

SHANNON BROS. CO.; millinery; capital, $10,000. President and clerk, G. T. Shannon, No. 31 School street; treasurer, E. E. Shannon, No. 6 Hubbard street, both of Boston.

RATE WAR

NO END TO FIGHT BETWEEN STEAMSHIP LINES.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—Nothing was accomplished yesterday at the conference of executive officers and general passenger agents, in reference to the passenger differential rate war. Commissioner Donald of the Central Passenger association was the chairman.

The meeting began at a late hour in the forenoon and lasted until nearly 5 o'clock. With the exception of a brief recess for luncheon, the entire time was taken up with a full discussion of the situation and various propositions for an adjustment of the pending dispute between standard and differential lines. When it became evident that a decision could not be reached, an adjournment was taken until 11 o'clock this morning.

It is said that the Erie made it known in advance of the conference that it will never consent to a differential being given to any line whose passengers are landed on Manhattan Island.

If a favorable vote could have been reached on a pending resolution, the outcome would have averted all danger of the general passenger rate war that is sure to come if the meeting ends without an amicable agreement. The resolution proposes an immediate restoration of tariff rates by all roads and the arbitration of all questions involved in the fight.

While the advocates of peace, and all who are anxious to prevent any further conflict, are striving to bring about an adoption of the resolution, the prospect of success is none too bright, although this seems to be the only effectual method to avoid great trouble.

STRUCK BY CAR

IRA E. HALL WAS FATALLY INJURED.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 4.—Ira E. Hall, aged 56 years, a resident of Longmeadow, suffered injuries from which he died five minutes later by being struck by an electric car on the Rocky Point line near Grant station in Warwick last night. Hall stumbled and fell in front of the car which was approaching and was dragged along several feet before the car was stopped. His neck was broken. A widow and seven children survive him.

Whose birthplace in Great Britain is visited by more than 30,000 people every year?

You would know if you had the Stoddard Lectures.

GEORGE ASHLEY

GOT THE DECISION OVER HARRY EDELLS.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 4.—George Ashley of Fall River outpointed and outfought Harry Edells of Chelsea, in a 15-round bout at the Rhode Island A. C., Atherton, last night. Edells' good showing against Ashley proved surprising but the latter was much the better.

Monk, the newsboy of this city, scored a clean win over Fred O'Brien of Chelsea in the eighth round of the semi-final go.

Henry Wood of Fall River won over Kid Raymond of Pawtucket in the six-round preliminary set-to.

The presence of the running horsemen served to bring out a good house.

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MERRIMACK SQUARE TELEPHONE

SEVERAL KILLED

Explosion in a Dynamite Factory in Esopus

KINGSTON, N. Y., AUG. 3.—IT IS REPORTED HERE THAT A NUMBER OF MEN, SAID TO BE 30, OR MORE, WERE KILLED BY AN EXPLOSION AT ESOPUS TODAY. NO DETAILS OF THE EXPLOSION HAVE BEEN RECEIVED AND THE NUMBER OF MEN SAID TO HAVE BEEN KILLED HAS NOT BEEN CONFIRMED.

THE EXPLOSION OCCURRED AT THE DYNAMITE FACTORY OF THE NITRO-POWDER COMPANY AT MINGO HOLLOW IN ESOPUS TOWNSHIP, SHORTLY AFTER 2 O'CLOCK THIS AFTERNOON.

A REPORT RECEIVED AT POLICE HEADQUARTERS IS THAT SIX MEN WERE KILLED BY THE EXPLOSION AND A NUMBER INJURED.

A BIG SHAKE-UP

Shaw Hurls a Bomb Among Treasury Agents

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—One of the most important "shake-ups" in the history of the special agents' force connected with the treasury department, is indicated by an order issued by Secretary Shaw, recalling Major W. H. Williams from Paris, where for more than 10 years he has been in charge of the European division of the customs investigating service.

The announcement will be received with surprise by friends of Major Williams. While it was acknowledged at the special agents' office in the custom house that the head of the Paris bureau had been directed to proceed to the United States, no one connected with the treasury service could vouchsafe a reason for the transfer. It developed that Major Williams will be stationed at St. Louis upon his return to this country. This post is unimportant, compared with the berth the major has held for so long.

Major Williams has been in the government service nearly 30 years. He has an excellent record as a soldier in the civil war, and was major of the 42d Ohio Volunteers, of which the late President Garfield was colonel. He was a close friend of John Sherman, and is said to enjoy the friendship of Senator Foraker and other influential men.

COMPLAINTS FROM THIS SIDE.

Precisely what brought the transfer at this time could not be learned yesterday, but it is believed in the best informed circles that dissatisfaction among domestic manufacturers in various lines, is primarily responsible. During the past five years the treasury department has been overrun with complaints from American manufacturers alleging undervaluation in the imports of pottery, enameled ware, glassware and other lines. As head of the foreign agents' bureau, the secretary of the treasury, in the usual routine of the office, referred the complaints to Williams for investigation and report.

In most instances, it is said, the special agents' reports failed to substantiate the allegations, the result being that the domestic producers failed to obtain the relief they considered to be their due. Some time ago the state department undertook an investigation of the Limoges pottery industry, but the conditions revealed by the department's report were later greatly discounted by an investigation conducted by Major Williams.

Two years ago American pottery interests were so much dissatisfied with the work of the special agents on the other side, that they deputed William Burgess to make an investigation of chinaware market values in Holland. Mr. Burgess, who is secretary of the American Potters' association, made an exhaustive investigation and filed a report on the subject with the treasury department. It is understood that the board of United States general appraisers utilized the data procured by Burgess in advancing values 10 per cent on importations of George Borgfeldt & Co. At the time reports were in circulation that Secretary Shaw was surprised that a private individual was able to procure evidence which had balked trained employes of the government.

MAY BE OTHERS.

Associated with Major Williams in the Paris office is Special Employe Bradley, his son-in-law. While Mr. Bradley has not been disturbed up to this time, it is considered likely that in the general reorganization about to take place, the special employe will be sent to another field. Other representatives of the treasury stationed at various points in Europe are Special Agents Armstrong, Gottschalk, Partello, Emmett and Howland. All of these men are subject to the orders of the Paris bureau. The duties of the special agents are to keep the treasury department advised of foreign market values, cost of production and other details, as well as conducting such investigations as may be ordered by the secretary.

It was said last night that a successor has been named to Major Williams, but his name was withheld. As soon as Major Williams has disposed of his house in Paris he will return to this country.

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RUG SAVED HER

Woman Fell From Fifth Story Window

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—A rug, which formed a parachute, saved the life of Mrs. Kate Getin today, in a fall from the fifth floor to a cement paved yard. Mrs. Getin's right arm was broken.

She fell out of the back window of a flat into a deep, narrow area crossed by family clothes lines. The woman living on the ground floor flat heard a thud on the pavement and saw the corners of a large parlor rug folding down over Mrs. Getin, who lay in its centre.

Swaying of the clothes lines above showed that Mrs. Getin had taken a clear drop from the fifth to the third floor without striking any obstruction until she hit a rug which lay spread over the two clothes lines. From that point downward the edges and corners of the rug had flopped against clothes lines sufficiently to retard the plunge of the woman in the middle of the big carpet.

CALL FOR AID

WOMAN PUGILIST SAID THAT MAN ASSAULTED HER.

HARTFORD, Ct., Aug. 3—Eunice Howard, an auburn-haired woman pugilist, and Edward Morris, an emaciated young man, were arrested Tuesday afternoon by a policeman who heard a woman shrieking in the Arcade and found that Morris had been abusing her. She said that Morris was a fiend in human guise and got young girls into the place for base purposes.

Eunice and Morris were charged with breach of the peace, but Morris will be charged with assault if the evidence that developed proves strong enough. Two girls, who have been attached to the pugilistic show that was booked for the remainder of the week at the Arcade, but were not mixed up in the fracas, packed their tights in their handbags and departed.

Monday night the police received word that the show at the Arcade was off-color. Sergt. Finley and a policeman visited the show and found Eunice and another woman shaking mitts at the opening of the third round of a boxing match. Both were dressed in tights, as was a third girl, who was acting as timekeeper and referee. She also wore tights.

The officers watched Eunice and the other woman hand each other a few "feelers" and then Sergt. Finley called "time." The manager flaunted a permit from the mayor under his eyes, but the sergeant told him no permit from the mayor allowed any such exhibition as was in progress and that the fight would have to be stopped or he would "pinch" all connected with the show. That ended the "fight" and Tuesday's row was the next development.

THE BOSTON MARKET.

BOSTON, Aug. 3—The Boston stock market was fairly quiet today. There was no selling pressure, in fact the absence of selling in view of the quietness, was the best indication of the market's strength. The activity began in Copper Range. New York sold Greene Consolidated. Inside buying of U. S. Mining continues. Shoe Machinery advanced ⅞ to 70⅞ in the first hour on buying. Around noon, Copper Range declined to 70⅛.

GENERAL CARNAHAN DEAD.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 3—General James R. Carnahan, major general of the Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias, died today, at his home in Woodruff place.

CAPTAIN KILLED

Russian Boats Fired at Merchant Steamer

TOKIO, Aug. 3, 3 p. m.—It is officially reported that two Russian torpedo boat destroyers appeared off Chungching, on the northern coast of Korea, at 4.40 o'clock this morning and attacked the Keisho, a small merchant steamer. The destroyers fired sixty shots, seven of which hit the port side of the engine room and bridge, killing the captain and one boy and wounding two of the crew. The destroyers then ceased to fire and steamed toward Vladivostok at five o'clock. The Keisho was able to continue her voyage and escaped.

PEACE ENVOYS

Will be Received by President Saturday

NEW YORK, Aug 3—Herbert H. D. Peirce, the third assistant secretary of state, who represents the president in directing arrangements for the peace conference has arrived in New York and early today left his card for the Russian and Japanese plenipotentiaries. The plenipotentiaries will be formally presented to the president by Mr. Peirce on Saturday and will in turn be presented by the president to one another. Mr. Witte spent the morning in a ride around the city which he made in an automobile accompanied by Mr. Wilkenkine, the Russian financial agent at Washington.

Tomorrow being St. Mary's day, according to the eastern Christian calendar and the name day of her majesty Maria Feodorovna, Empress Dowager of Russia, religious services, high mass at 8 a. m., and tedeum at 9 a. m., will be celebrated at St. Nicholas, Russian Orthodox Cathedral in East 97th street and it is understood that Mr. Witte, Baron Rosen and their suite will be present.

Mr. Sato of the Japanese peace committee expressed himself today as hopeful of the result of the peace conference to be held at Portsmouth. He said:

"Both commissions having come here animated with peaceful impulses I think peace will result, as it may be expected both parties will be reasonable in order to secure the blessing of the lasting peace in the Orient."

Tomorrow night, Baron Komura, head of the Japanese commission will give an informal dinner at the Waldorf-Astoria, to some of the prominent Japanese residents.

AN OBJECTION

TO SENDING JAP LABORERS TO PANAMA.

TOKIO, Aug. 3—The emigration companies object to sending laborers to Panama to work on the canal on the ground that the conditions there are unsatisfactory. They assert that there are no arrangements to care for the sick, no provisions for returning home the families of deceased laborers and no allowance of passage money. They also assert that the drinking water and sanitary conditions are bad. The government placed the question of sending the laborers and the conditions before the emigration officers who found as above stated.

HAS RECOVERED

VICE PRESIDENT FAIRBANKS IS A WELL MAN.

SAULT STE MARIE, Mich., Aug. 3.—Vice President Fairbanks today had entirely recovered from the slight indisposition due to fatigue which necessitated his leaving the receiving line at last night's reception. He was very much fatigued when he retired, but today was in excellent health and spirits.

YOUNG BRYAN

HAD AN ABCESS REMOVED FROM HIS RIGHT KNEE.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—William J. Bryan, Jr., 16 years old, is lying at the Presbyterian hospital, where he underwent a surgical operation yesterday for the removal of an abscess on his right knee. Young Bryan is a student at a Winona Lake, Ind., military academy.

The hospital physicians announced that his condition was not dangerous but the prompt action in bringing him to Chicago for treatment prevented a serious turn. The inflammation that resulted in the forming of an abscess was first noticeable two weeks ago. A corn on his right foot first became inflamed after it had been accidentally cut. The cut became infected and it was for this reason that blood poisoning was feared.

LONG APART

BROTHER AND SISTER HAVE BEEN REUNITED.

BROCKTON, Aug. 3.—Separated when babes, 23 years ago, by the death of their father, a Boston letter carrier, Mrs. Annie E. Bumpus of this city has been located as the sister of Thomas Sullivan, who was adopted by the father of M. J. King and taken to Parker, S. D., where he still resides. The girl lived with her grand-parents until nine years old, and was later taken by persons outside Boston. Recently obtaining a clew to her brother, she wrote him, and M. J. King has come on from South Dakota to take her west to join her brother. Mrs. Bumpus has been employed in local restaurants and as a housekeeper. She has one child.

BISHOP HARGROVE DEAD.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 3.—Bishop R. K. Hargrove of the Methodist Episcopal church, south, died at his home here shortly after midnight. He had been in feeble health for a year past. He was 76 years old.

Bishop Hargrove was elected president of Vanderbilt university, 1889, and served in that position until last spring.

RABBI LESSER

Honored by United Orthodox Rabbis

SPRINGFIELD, Aug 3—The United Orthodox Rabbis of the United States in convention in this city have elected Chief Rabbi A. G. Lesser of Cincinnati, who is retired from the presidency on account of illness, honorary president to succeed Rabbi Ridwes who is now in Palestine. Rabbi Jaffe of New York will be acting president for the coming year, succeeding Rabbi Lesser. The first and second vice presidencies, new offices, are to be held by Chief Rabbi H. I. Leventhal of Philadelphia and Rabbi Stein of New York respectively.

Rabbi D. Ginsberg of Rochester, N. Y., was re-elected treasurer and Rabbi P. I. Israelite of Chelsea was re-elected secretary. A mass meeting will be held tonight when a memorial service will be held for the late Dr. Herzl former leader of the Zionist movement and John Hay, late secretary of state.

PAY IS HELD UP

Because of the Mayor's Absence

PATERSON, N. J., Aug. 3.—This city is without a head, and its city officials cannot collect their salaries owing to the continued mysterious absence today of Mayor Wm. H. Belcher, who disappeared on Monday last. This chaotic state of affairs must continue for at least ten days from the time of Mr. Belcher's disappearance before an acting mayor can assume the city government reins, according to Paterson's city charter. All salaries to city employes and officials for July are now due and ready to be paid, lacking only the mayor's signature to the pay warrants. County Prosecutor Emley is today continuing his investigation of loans in which Mr. Belcher was interested and has asked a report from each of three trust companies to confer with him today.

NEW SCHEDULE

LYNN WILL PLAY FIRST GAME AT

HAD AN ABSCESS REMOVED FROM

BOSTON, Aug. 3—The admission of Taunton into the New England baseball league has made necessary a change in the schedule. President Murnane has announced the following games for the coming week:

Monday, August 7—New Bedford at Haverhill; Fall River at Lynn; Taunton at Concord; Nashua at Lawrence.

Tuesday, Aug. 8—Fall River at Lynn; New Bedford at Haverhill; Taunton at Nashua; Lawrence at Concord.

Wednesday, Aug. 9—New Bedford at Nashua; Fall River at Lawrence; Taunton at Haverhill; Lynn at Concord.

Thursday, Aug. 10—New Bedford at Lawrence; Fall River at Concord; Haverhill at Nashua; Lynn at Taunton.

Friday, Aug. 11—New Bedford at Lynn; Concord at Manchester; Lawrence at Haverhill; Fall River at Taunton.

Saturday, Aug. 12—Concord at New Bedford; Nashua at Fall River; Lynn at Lawrence; Haverhill at Taunton (two games.)

DR. BAUER

WILL BE IN CHARGE OF MAGNETIC SURVEY.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 3—A magnetic survey of the North Pacific ocean will be inaugurated within the next few days by the department of International Research in Terrestrial magnetism of the Carnegie institution at Washington.

A wooden sailing vessel, the brig Galilee, has been fully adapted for the purpose of the expedition at this port and it is expected that she will sail the latter part of the week on her first season's work.

The object of the expedition, is to secure precise data of the distribution of the magnetic forces over the Pacific ocean. Except for data from occasional expeditions and such as were acquired in wooden vessels, a long time ago, the present magnetic charts used by the navigator over this region depend largely upon the observations on islands along the coasts.

The director of the work is Dr. L. A. Bauer, who likewise is in charge of the magnetic work of the United States Coast and Geodetic survey.

KING OSCAR

NOT PRESENT AT CLOSING OF THE RICKSDAG.

STOCKHOLM, Sweden, Aug. 3.—The extraordinary session of the Ricksdag was brought to a close today. King Oscar was not present but was represented by the new premier, Christian Lundeberg.

In declaring the session closed, the speaker of the lower house said the situation still contained disquieting elements, but Sweden would be absolved from blame, if a breach occurred after the offer made by the Ricksdag. Another special session will be called as soon as Norway is ready to act on the Swedish conditions.

BIG CAPITAL

NEW RAILROAD COMPANY IS WELL BACKED FINANCIALLY.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—Organization of the Mississippi Valley and Gulf railroad was begun here yesterday, W. I. Allen being elected president. Theodore Rockenfeller vice president and E. Gotchanour secretary-treasurer. According to Allen, the company has a capitalization of $50,000,000 and will start from some point in Iowa on the Mississippi river and extend through the western valley to the Gulf.

BIG CONTRACTS GIVEN OUT.

NEW HAVEN, Ct., Aug. 3—Contracts which reach a total of $1,200,000 were given out by Vice President F. S. Curtiss of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad today to the American Bridge company for improving the Poughkeepsie Bridge. The bridge will, in effect, be reconstructed, although traffic over the old structure will not be impeded.

TEXTILE NEWS

Items From Several Mill Centers

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Aug. 3—In some parts of this country a great scarcity of skilled labor has been reported recently, but in the cotton mills here it appears that one branch of the industry is [illegible] help. This branch is the weaving department, and in mills that are [illegible] for the manufacture of fine fabrics this is a most important department. The causes for this condition appear to be manifold, but the chief reason [illegible] that is admitted by mill [illegible] that the pay of the weaver is poor. That the weaver, the skilful, competent weaver, is underpaid, and that he can [illegible] as much outside the mill at more pleasant and less confining work is admitted by operatives, some manufacturers and those who are in touch with the cotton manufacturing industry here.

WATUPPA MILLS TRANSFERRED.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Aug. 3.—The receivers of the Wattupa mills, Messrs. Philips and Edgar of Fall River and Terry of New Bedford, met again in Taunton this week with A. M. Alger, chairman of the committee on reorganization, and president of the Old Colony mills, the corporation to succeed the Watuppa. The deeds for the land, buildings and such equipment as has been put in to the buildings were turned over to Mr. Alger, and the receivers were given a check for the amount realized at the sale. This is sufficient to meet the claims which were allowed by the court. The creditors holding these claims will be paid in a few days, as soon as the court has given an order to the receivers, allowing them to pay out the money.

ENLARGING WOOLEN PLANT.

AUGUSTA, Aug. 3.—The American Woolen company is to add a fifth story to its mill at North Vassalboro, in area 200 by 47 feet. A dyehouse, two stories, 81 by 48 feet, will also be built. All the construction is of wood.

MILLS CLOSED DOWN.

PITTSFIELD, Mass., Aug. 3.—Several of the large manufacturing plants in the city shut down today for the firemen's muster. Among the largest places that closed the whole day were Russells and Pontoosuc and the Stanley plant, but the office force in the latter place were busy during the morning. Davis & Mahoney's yarn mill and Musgrove knitting mill also shut down, as did the N. A. Mills shoe factory on Columbus avenue.

KNITTING MILL SOLD.

GOSHEN, Ind., Aug. 3.—The Lagrange Mitten Co. plant, one of the hopes of Rollin Ellison, which was crushed before he went to prison for accepting deposits at his bank unlawfully, has been sold by the sheriff to Dr. W. S. Smith, the mortgagee, for $3,695.69, about half of the original investment.

MAY CONTROL FELTING CO.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Aug. 3.—It is reported that as the result of a meeting of the board of directors of the Binghamton Felting Co., the control of the company will pass into the hands of Merritt Corbett. It is said that W. G. Fantz looked over the plant recently with an idea of making a bid on it, and that this fact led to a discussion at a meeting of the directors during which Mr. Corbett offered to buy out the other men interested.

WILL ADD MORE SPINDLES.

HATESBURG, Tenn., Aug. 3.—The Middleburg mills have awarded a contract for the installation of 4000 additional spindles, increasing equipment to 10,000 spindles and 300 looms.

MILL ELECTS OFFICERS.

SPARTANBURG, S. C., Aug. 3.—At a meeting of the stockholders of the Gaffney Manufacturing Co., held recently, the following board, of which several Spartanburg men are members, was elected: T. E. Moore, J. B. Cleveland, J. A. Carroll, A. N. Wood, J. O. Little, L. W. O. Hamrick, O. G. Falls, T. M. Littlejohn and L. G. Potter. Mr. Potter, who is a former resident of Spartanburg, was elected secretary, to succeed W. M. Webster, who tendered his resignation. The report of President Moore was submitted, and showed that the affairs of the mill were conducted judiciously and profitably during the year.

A SUICIDE

DR. DONNELLY SHOT HIMSELF THROUGH THE HEART.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 3—Dr. Frank P. Donnelly, a physician practicing in the Olneyville district committed suicide at his home there today by shooting himself through the heart, after first writing out instructions to undertakers for the disposition of his body. He has been a sufferer from consumption for a considerable length of time and was despondent. A sister living in New York and a brother in this city, are his only surviving relatives.

FINAL TENNIS MATCH.

BRISTOL, R. I., Aug. 3.—The final match in the state tennis tournament in singles, by which the winner gains the state singles championship owing to the announced default of C. R. Budlong, the present champion, was the attraction at the Bristol Y. M. C. A. courts this afternoon at 3 o'clock and a good gallery was on hand. The contestants for the championship were J. D. E. Jones, who, with H. D. Wilcox, won the state championship in doubles on last Saturday afternoon, and J. O. Ames. Of the two the progress of Jones through the tournament has been the harder one and he has shown consistent good form which made him the favorite for the winning of the match. He has been the runner up to C. R. Budlong for several years past, having gone through each tournament up to the challenge round without much difficulty.

Peculiar Disappearance.

J. D. Runyan, of Butlerville, O., told the peculiar disappearance of his painful symptoms, of indigestion and biliousness, to Dr. King's New Life Pills. He says: "They are a perfect remedy, for dizziness, sour stomach, headache, constipation, etc." Guaranteed at Goodale's drug store, 217 Central st., price 25c.

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Cleveland to Have a Grand Depot

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Aug. 3.—The Leader this morning says:

The definite announcement is made that Cleveland is to have a $5,000,000 union depot, $3,000,000 of which will be the share of the New York Central lines as a part of the appropriation of $60,000,000 for improvements to be made within the next three or four years. The tracks through the city will be elevated. Other New York Central improvements, work on which has already been started, include the opening of the Clearfield coal district by the building of a new railway into it and the double tracking of the Big Four railroad.

The development of the Clearfield district entails the building of a connecting line between the Oil City line of the Lake Shore and the soft coal road of the New York Central. The cost of this improvement is figured at $1,000,000, for which the money has been appropriated.

Another item of expense is an order for the construction of 125 steel bridges on the West Shore, which has been put in to carry the electric equipment to the road. The plans also include the equipping of a part of the Lake Shore railway with electricity, probably between here and Buffalo.

CUT HIS THROAT

Body of Man Found in Field

LINCOLN, R. I., Aug. 3—Hay makers working in a field at Limerock yesterday afternoon found lying on the ground, the dead body of a man who had apparently cut his throat with a jack knife which was clutched in his right hand.

He had been dead about two days. With the exception of his hat which bore the name of a Philadelphia store, there were no marks of identification. He was about 65 years old, evidently a foreigner and was fairly well dressed.

A UNION PLANT

May Be Run by Steel Company

PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 3.—President Shaffer of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers, has been notified that the officials of the Cohoes Steel company of Troy, N. Y., have consented to operate a union plant if an agreement can be reached on a wage scale.

This company has not recognized the union in past years and it is the first move on the part of the Amalgamated association to invade the eastern mills, which are nearly all operated on a non-union basis.

As soon as the wage scale is arranged with the Cohoes Steel company it is said a new wage scale will be presented to the other eastern concerns.

SEVERAL INJURED

Fire in Tenement in New York

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Several tenants of a three-story double frame tenement at 613 Lorimer street, Brooklyn, were badly injured in jumping from the windows of their rooms during what is believed to have been an incendiary fire in that building early today. The fire was started in the hallway by the use of an explosion. Tessie Velluet and Lizzie Gessl, girls, were painfully injured in a jump from the third story to the roof of an extension before the fire department arrived. Mrs. Annie Geldert and her three children were found unconscious from smoke in their apartments while the husband and father had taken refuge on the roof. He was rescued by two firemen, who were badly burned in bringing him to the street.

The neighborhood was startled by a fusillade of revolver shots from Italians in nearby tenements who took that method of giving an alarm.

TWO WRECKS

Steamer Alene Rescued Four Persons

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—The wreck of a sailing vessel, sighted July 15, drifting submerged with one mast sticking about 15 feet above water, was reported by the steamer Alene upon her arrival in New York today from Port Au Prince, Hayti. The wreck was 300 miles west of the southern coast of Florida. During a storm in Port Au Prince harbor, the Alene sighted another vessel, a small schooner, bottom side up, with passengers and crew in the water and other passing sailing craft unable to go to their assistance. The Alene rescued four persons but report that two others were drowned.

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FOR THE GOOD OF LOWELL

AMEND THE CITY CHARTER

The city of Lowell has outgrown its charter. This fact has been evident for a long time. At various times attempts have been made to revise the charter, but without beneficial result.

Perhaps the worst defect in the charter is, that while it creates certain municipal departments, it does not centre responsibility for the work of those departments. The consequence is, that abuses creep into the departments and neither the mayor nor the city council has power to stamp them out.

To overcome this defect the mayor should have the power to appoint all heads of departments and members of commissions and to remove them at his discretion. Under this arrangement if anything went wrong the people could look to the mayor for a prompt remedy. If he failed to act then the people could denounce him as recreant to his trust and could retire him at the ensuing election.

The present arrangement encourages graft and corruption and while it remains in force the people themselves must be held partly responsible for whatever abuses are found in the departments. What is the remedy? Simply change the city charter so as to give the mayor the power of appointment and removal. Then hold him strictly accountable for results.

THE BALTIC A MARE CLAUSUM.

It is supposed that the German emperor is vain enough and bold enough to indulge the idea of making the Baltic a mare clausum or closed sea, viz., one which no warship could enter.

The czar would readily approve of such a scheme but neither Russia nor Germany has a navy big enough to carry out such an edict. If they cannot do it, certainly Sweden and Denmark, the other two interested parties, cannot be expected to do it. Therefore the proposition which is supposed to have formed a portion of the discussion at the recent conference of the two emperors is practically impossible.

They had better abandon the idea if they have seriously contemplated such a course.

A STUDY IN IMMIGRATION FIGURES.

The past fiscal year has broken the record for immigration, the total number who came to cast their lot amongst us being 1,027,421. The nearest approach to this number was in 1901 when 812,870 immigrants entered the country through the various ports. That was 214,651 less than the total for the present year. The total for 1903 was 857,046, for 1902 648,743.

The proportion coming from each of the contributing nations has not varied very much during the past two years. The number from each country last year was as follows:

Austria, Hungary	275,693	Ireland	52,945
France	10,168	Scotland	16,977
Germany	40,576		
Greece	10,516	Total Europe	974,298
Italy	221,479		
Norway	25,064	Total Asia	24,817
Russian Empire	184,897	Other countries	28,306
Sweden	26,591		
England	64,732	Grand total	1,027,421

It is interesting to study the immigration figures for some time past and to note the high and low tides in the human stream that sets hither from the old world.

During the decade from 1880 to 1890 the average yearly immigration was 520,000; during the next decade which included the panic years of 1893 and 1894 the average per year was only 381,000. Since 1899, owing to the recurrence of good times, the average has been 713,760 a year.

The low water mark was reached in 1898 when the total was 229,299 and the highest record previous to 1903 was in 1882 when 788,992 immigrants were added to the population.

The total immigration since 1820 was 22,932,905, about one-fifth of which have come in the past six years. This vast [illegible] has set mainly from six countries as follows:

Great Britain	7,286,257	China (mostly between 1853 and 1883)	291,455
Germany	5,187,094	Switzerland	220,200
Italy	2,009,252	Netherlands	146,168
Austria (all since 1861)	1,971,431	Japan (all since 1893)	88,905
Scandinavia	1,720,722	All other countries	2,059,636
Russia	1,452,629		
France	423,894		

The immigration set down in this table from Great Britain came mainly from Ireland; England came next, then Germany whose emigration to this country was heaviest in the early 80's. At present the countries of Southern Europe take the lead.

It will be seen that Austria, Hungary, Italy and the Russian empire have furnished the largest numbers during the past year and the same was true for the previous year. Some people may complain that these immigrants are not of the desirable class, that the country would be better without them, but such is not the case. They may cling to their old country customs and may not assimilate very well with our conglomerate population but they fill an important place in building railroads, in mining coal, iron and other metals as well as in clearing away the forests, pulling up the roots and preparing new land for cultivation. The refined American citizen is not much good at this particular line of work, although he may make a very good boss over the men. If there is work for these men to do then they are needed. If they found no work to do then they would make their way back to their native land. They bring here physical strength and endurance which we need quite as much as they need our education and enlightenment.

SEEN AND HEARD

A quiet wedding was held Wednesday afternoon in the grocery store of Maj. D. E. Proctor, at Wilton, N. H., the genial major being the official acting as justice of the peace, and performing the ceremony.

The contracting parties were Nathan A. Gage, 69 years, and Mrs. Fannie E. Johnson, aged 40 years, both of New Boston. This is Mr. Gage's first venture of the kind, while the bride can boast of three conquests.

Town Constable Thomas Caley was the only witness. Major Proctor was selected, it is said, on account of a long standing friendship between the parties. After making a few calls on other friends, the happy couple drove to their home on the hilltop.

The deer nuisance and the state law protecting the animals to this end, was again brought to the attention of the state authorities yesterday, in a letter from a Greenfield farmer, says the Manchester, N. H., Union, addressed to the secretary of state. The Greenfield man complains that the deer in his neighborhood have utterly ruined his one and one-quarter-acre garden, destroying beets, turnips, peas, and have begun to eat the potato crops. All efforts to keep them out of the garden have proved futile and the farmer asks the secretary of state how he can protect himself from the deer that are destroying his means of livelihood. This is only one of many complaints of this kind that have been heard from in one way or another, but the law forbids injuring the deer.

The close season on brook or speckled trout began yesterday in all the lower counties of New Hampshire, and will continue until the first of April. In Coos, Carroll and Grafton counties trout may be taken during the month of August, but the season was a month later in opening in that section of the state. The penalty for taking a trout during the close season is a fine and imprisonment not exceeding six months, or both. Old fishermen say that the trout have suffered badly during the past season, as the brooks have been low and some of the smaller streams have been "skimmed" by professional fishermen.

"I had a funny one thrown at me the other day," remarked the man whose hobby is conundrums and puzzling questions. "A kid nephew of mine asked me what color it is that we never eat.'

"I thought it over a good long time before I got the answer. The color is blue. Has it ever struck you that among the varied foods we eat one may find every color from red to violet, except blue? Even black comes in for notice in truffles, caviar and such. Candied violets are of course of the proper hue, and we all eat the tomato, the orange, the green pepper, the raspberry and an infinite variety of things variously hued. Bluefish is blue in name only, and the blueberries one gets in the city are black. I can't remember eating anything genuinely blue."

"Strange to me," said the man with the olvie green stone in his ring, "that jewelers do not make more use of the jade. It's one of the prettiest and quietest settings for men's rings, watch fobs and large stick pins that I know of. It comes in many shades, but to me the olive green is the handsomest. I do not think there is a setting that can be had at moderate price that approaches it for color, wear and subdued elegance. Bracelets made from the solid stone are extremely handsome, but rather expensive.

"Jade is a highly prized stone in China, and is used for all sorts of artistic purposes. There are many priceless jade ornaments in the royal palaces in China, and much jewelry is made from the stone for imperial ornament."

The fashion of trimming shaggy haired dogs for the summer has produced some wierd looking beasts. A stately St. Bernard is short of all his dignity save the fur on his massive head, the unhappy Maltese terrier looks like a good sized pink rat with white hair on his head, and the much doctored and decorated poodles are made to show their skin and bone in a shameless fashion. Almost any good breed of dog looks nondescript when shorn of his hair. The process undoubtedly makes him more comfortable, but he looks wretched just the same.

POLITICAL NOTES.

"George Fred Williams," the Atlanto Journal (dem.) notes, "is taking a prominent part in Massachusetts democratic affairs once more. It's hard on those Bay State democrats t ohave a hoodoo turn up just as they get where they can do something."

In discussing the tariff as an impediment to trust-smashing, the Kansas City Star (Ind.) speaks of the linseed oil monoply, which is assisted by the prohibitive duty on flaxseed, and adds pertinently: "The government carefully binds its hands behind its back with the tariff and then wonders why it makes such poor progress in smashing the trusts."

The South Bend (Ind.) Tribune thinks that Gov. Mickel of Nebraska, in insisting upon it that his appointees shall neither drink, smoke, nor swear, is merely improving upon the example set by Gov. Hanley of Indiana. "This stand of the strict governors," the Tribune adds, "will be criticised as too extreme, but the time is ripe for a change of this kind that will give the men of unclean habits notice that they must not expect to be leaders or servants of the public unless they reform."

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"The moral effect most obvious in the sentencing of Senator Mitchell," says the Baltimore News (Ind.), "and the one most generally pointed out, is that it will serve as a warning and deterrent to other senators and men in high office generally. But a far more important consequence, we judge, is to be found in a strengthening of the general sense of justice, and the help that every such conclusion gives to the maintenance of right standards of honesty and honor in the public mind."

Noting other similarities between the developing scandals in the agricultural department in Washington and the postoffice scandals a while ago, the Springfield Republican (Ind.) suggests: "In the postal frauds, the president finally took the matter out of the hands of Postmaster-General Payne and ordered Mr. Bristow 'to go to the bottom.' Another Bristow is now needed to ransack the department of agriculture for thieves and rascals. An investigation independent of the secretary should be held; and why should not the secretary himself request one?"

For how many years was Gray engaged in writing one poem, "The Elegy in a Country Churchyard?"

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COTTON CROP

TEMPERATURE TOO LOW FOR BEST RESULTS.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—The weekly summary of crop conditions issued by the weather bureau says:

During the week ending July 31 the Ohio valley and northern portions of the middle Atlantic states and New England experienced temperature too low for best results, but elsewhere the temperature conditions were favorable. Rains interfered with farm work in the Missouri valley, northeastern Texas and in parts of the lower Ohio valley and east gulf coast districts, while rain is needed in Georgia, portions of Florida and northern Mississippi, northern Illinois, Ohio and northern New Jersey.

In the Ohio valley the growth of corn has been somewhat checked by cool weather, but elsewhere in the principal corn states this crop has made excellent progress. Throughout the Atlantic coast districts a fine crop is indicated. In Tennessee, Arkansas, Indian Territory and northern Texas the condition of corn is not so promising. Threshing of witer wheat has been interrupted by wet weather in southern Illinois and portions of the Missouri valley and middle Atlantic states, but elsewhere this work has advanced satisfactorily. Winter wheat harvest is finished except a small portion of the crop in Michigan and New York.

Spring wheat harvest is in progress in Nebraska, Iowa and the southern portions of South Dakota and Minnesota. This crop has made favorable progress, no rust damage being reported except from scattered fields in South Dakota where smut and blight are also prevalent to some extent. Late spring wheat was materially damaged in Washington by hot winds on the preceding week, but the early crop escaped injury. Harvest is general in Oregan, with about the average yield and quality. Oat harvest has progressed favorably, and is now becoming general in the more northerly states. With the exception of some damage to harvested oats in Missouri, Oklahoma, Texas and Virginia, the reports respecting this crop are highly favorable.

Some improvement in the conditions of cotton over most of Texas is indicated, and while too rank growth and unsatisfactory fruiting are reported from Oklahoma, Arkansas, Louisiana and Mississippi, general but slight improvement is always shown in these states. In Alabama the crop has generally deteriorated; in Georgia it is fruiting rapidly where sufficient rains have occurred, but in other localities of that state rain is badly needed, and shedding, rust and black root are prevalent. Too rank growth and shedding are also reported from Tennessee, the Carolinas and Florida, in which states no improvement is indicated, except on clay lands in South Carolina, while on sandy lands in that state the crop has deteriorated.

In Maryland and Virginia tobacco is not doing well, although some improvement is reported from the latter state. An improvement is also reported from Kentucky, where, however, the crop is in need of cultivation and has suffered from rain and hail in the northern portion. In the other tobacco states the outlook is favorable.

With but few exceptions the reports indicate a very light crop of apples.

Haying has been retarded in portions of Iowa, North Dakota and Virginia, but reports generally indicate that a good crop of hay has been largely secured.

CYCLE NEWS.

"Major" Taylor, the negro sprinter, is out of the game for all time, according to his own statements. His retirement is not of the usual order. As will be recalled, he signed a contract last spring with Beyer and Coquelle, the French promoters, to ride a specified number of races in Europe this season against any riders the Parisian managers saw fit to pit against him.

When Taylor learned that Kramer was also going abroad there was a hitch at once. Taylor was taken ill—the doctor's certificate said so—and he stayed home. Forthis breach the French Cycling association had the negro suspended, and asked the National Cycling association to do the same. This was done last week, but it now appears that a certain promoter who claims New York city as his home, is very anxious to have Taylor's suspension removed. The French promoters say they are willing to withdraw the charges against the negro sprinter if he will send them a check for $1000, which is about one-fifth the amount they claim they lost by Taylor's breach of contract. But Taylor says he doesn't care a rap, that he will not pay the thousand, and adds that he is through with bicycle racing forever. In view of these assertions, the solicitude of the New York promoter appears at least "passing strange."

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SUDDEN DEATH

Hannah Gilman Found Dead in Room

Mrs. Hannah Gilman was found dead in bed at her home, 30 Appleton street, yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock. Medical Examiner Irish was notified shortly after the body was discovered and after an examination stated that he was of the opinion that death resulted from natural causes.

The body was discovered by a friend of the deceased, Mrs. J. N. Mitchell, who happened to go in about 4 o'clock.

It was at first thought that the woman might have been the victim of foul play, but Dr. Irish said that death was probably due to heart failure.

The deceased was 70 years old, and leaves a sister, Mrs. Baker, who is an inmate of the Old Ladies' home. Undertaker Weinbeck took charge of the body.

CHILD HURT

FELL FROM WAGON WHILE RIDING.

Julia Fiske, the three-year-old daughter of Josiah F. Fiske, had a narrow escape from being killed yesterday afternoon shortly before five o'clock. The little girl had been with her mother driving in a carriage and was standing on the seat when the horse suddenly started, throwing her from the carriage.

The little girl struck on her head and was quite severely bruised about the face and chin. Her teeth also penetrated her lip. She was taken to a nearby drug store, where Dr. Meagher attended her. It is hoped she will soon recover.

LAWYER WEIL

HEARING ON QUESTION OF HIS DISBARMENT.

BOSTON, Aug. 4.—The proceeding of the Bar association of Boston for the disbarment of George L. Weil was heard by Judge Fessenden in the superior court Wednesday afternoon. Weil, who is 47 years old, was admitted to the Essex bar in November, 1882, and subsequently moved to Boston. He was a trial justice at North Andover several years ago.

The charges are based upon alleged misconduct. The petition, pending since 1901, was heard by Boyd B. Jones as a commissioner, whose findings the court dealt with yesterday. Weil claims that no intent to defraud was shown by the evidence, and that there is no ground for disbarment.

NIGHT IN BOAT

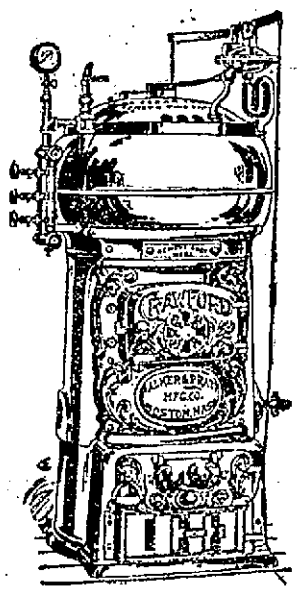
EAST BOSTON BOYS HAD TRYING EXPERIENCE.

BOSTON, Aug. 4.—James Davidson, the 3-year-old East Boston boy, who had been missing from his home, 8 West Eagle street, since early Wednesday morning, returned yesterday afternoon, after a most trying experience in a rowboat in company with another youngster.

Wednesday morning the Davidson boy and Willie Russell, who resides on Brooks street, secured a boat at one of the Border street wharves. For about an hour they rowed about the water front and then headed for the harbor. They don't know how far they went, but when it came dark Wednesday night they thought they were about two miles off Deer island. They endeavored to turn the boat round and make for home, but the current was so strong that this was impossible.

In the boat was a large stone, which the boys tied to a rope from the stern and used as an anchor. Thoroughly exhausted they went to sleep in the boat and did not awake till daylight.

Refreshed after a night's sleep the "anchor" was pulled in and the boys got started for home. When they were off Winthrop young Davidson suggested that they pull in there, and there he left Russell. Davidson walked from Winthrop to his home, some five miles, reaching there yesterday afternoon pretty exhausted. He had nothing to eat since early Wednesday morning. His people were almost frantic over his absence.



Crawford Boiler

A man who used this boiler all last winter has this to say about it:

"I find it easy of management, very ready and quick to work and I think more economical than any boiler I ever used. It is a pleasure to work one of them."

The above is a quotation from "Encore," a little book you must read if you are interested in heating.

Call or send for it.

The H. R. Barker Mfg. Co.

158-170 Middle St., Lowell, Mass.

FOR NEW BOILER

Bids Identical and Contract Not Awarded

Six local firms submitted bids for the contract for a new boiler at the Butler Grammar school yesterday afternoon. The bids were opened by Superintendent John J. O'Connor of the public building department in the presence of Mayor Casey and representatives of the Carroll Bros. and the H. R. Barker Manufacturing company. Two of the bids were identical. They were the lowest bids and because both were the same the contract was not awarded and cannot be until some understanding is reached by the bidders.

Either the H. R. Barker Manufacturing company or Welch Bros. will get the job, or perhaps the job may be split up between them. Both firms figured the job at $1185. The figuring was unusually close. The next lowest bid was $125, and there were two at this figure submitted by Carroll Bros. and Patrick F. Welch. The highest figures were $1271, submitted by Farrell & Conaton, and Edward Meloy was next with $1270.

Superintendent O'Connor said he would arrange for a conference between the two lowest bidders and hopes to have the matter settled between them. He said last evening that it wouldn't be fair to reopen the bidding.

FORGERY CHARGE

Alleged Swindler is Under Arrest

CHICAGO, Aug. 4—Charged with swindling merchants in 2 cities out of thousands of dollars, Norman E. Roberts, alleged money order raiser and forger was arrested yesterday at a sub-postal station. He was a salesman until a few months ago and is 27 years old.

Roberts' alleged method has not differed from that of several other swindlers, including one woman who have been sent to the penitentiary from Chicago, within the last three years for raising orders and cashing them at small stores.

Roberts' itinerary included New York, Boston, Providence, Pawtucket, Woonsocket, R. I., New London, Ct., and other eastern cities.

GLADYS LAWSON

IS ENGAGED TO EBEN B. STANWOOD.

BOSTON, Aug. 4.—At an informal gathering to be held today at Dreamwold, the country estate of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lawson, the announcement will be made of the engagement of their eldest daughter, Gladys, to Eben Blaine Stanwood of Beacon street, Boston.

Only two months ago Miss Gladys was received into membership in the Vincent club, her sister, Marian, joining the exclusive organization at the same time. This led friends of the young woman to believe that she was to be counted among the bachelor girls for some time to come.

Miss Lawson first became known to the general public when she acted as sponsor for the Independence. Since then she has become quite well known to the general public and a favorite in social circles. She is fond of animals and of outdoor sports, as is her fiance, and together they have been often seen galloping over the estate at Egypt. Her favorite is Gypsy Queen, one of the finest thoroughbreds in the world, and her own personal property. In addition to being a good rider, she rows, swims and plays tennis with skill.

Young Stanwood since his boyhood days has been a friend of the Lawson family, and because of this his frequent calls at their Boston residence aroused no comment. In fact, the announcement of the engagement will come as a general surprise to the friends of the young couple.

DROPPED DEAD

MAN OVERCOME BY EXCITEMENT AT BALL GAME.

PITTSBURG, Aug. 4.—The ball game between New York and Pittsburg yesterday was not only exciting as to the playing of the teams, but furnished a number of unusual incidents among the spectators.

During the strenuous seventh inning, when Pittsburg went one run ahead of the visitors, J. W. Maher, 44, of Wilkinsburg, was seen to collapse in his seat and before air could be given him he was dead. The physicians say the cause was apoplexy superinduced by excitement.

While the next inning was in progress a heated discussion arose in the private box occupied by Barney Dreyfuss, president of the Pittsburg club, and friends. The discussion was started by an outsider giving the name of Thomas J. Ward of Minneapolis, Minn. Dreyfuss ordered Ward from the box and upon his refusal to go the president, it is said, shoved him, when Ward retaliated with a blow which knocked Drefuss down. Ward was arrested and Mr. Dreyfuss entered complaint against him for assault and battery.

NO REWARD

PETER McGOVERN FOUND SECURITIES WORTH $3,900,000.

JERSEY CITY, Aug. 4.—Peter McGovern, the Jersey City man who found $3,900,000 par value of securities which Richard Cullen of Duluth, Minn., says he lost in Battery Park three weeks ago, will not receive any reward for picking them up. The law does not say that the owner of lost property must pay a reward for its recovery.

FINE DAY AT REVERE.

The fifth annual outing of Cercle d'Youville, Companions of the Forest, was held at Revere beach yesterday and proved to be a grand success. Nearly 150 members left Lowell at seven o'clock yesterday morning and arrived at the beach about 9.30 o'clock. Bathing was enjoyed during the morning after which a sumptuous dinner was served at one of the beach hotels. The return trip was made early in the evening, the excursionists arriving home about 9.15 o'clock last night. The party was chaperoned by Mrs. Anna de Lamothe.

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Just Through Taking Stock--Five Columns of Discoveries That Will Benefit the Pocketbooks of Our Patrons

A SPECIAL SALE OF

Women's Shirt Waists

OPENS THIS MORNING

We advise you to "take time by the forelock" and wend your way to this section early in the day for some of the lots are small (not these advertised lots for we have enough of these to go around) but many odd garments, small lots, etc., are really better values than the ones we advertise.

The following details will give you some idea of the generous savings which await you here this morning:

One lot of odds and ends in Soiled Waists, worth $1.00 and $1.25. To close ..... 50c each

At 98c

We have put in at this price Waists which have sold for $1.98, one lot especially is very attractive, it is a Silk Muslin Waist, with tucked back and front, fancy stock and new sleeves. Also a lot of Muslins that sold for $1.50 and $1.98. One very attractive style is a fine Muslin trimmed with broad tennerift panel and broad tucks.

At $1.49

A number of very catchy styles at this price. One is a very fine lawn with front of all over eyelet embroidery, tucked button back and 7-inch tucked and hamburg trimmed cuff. This garment has always sold for $2.

At $1.98

Several styles are shown at this price, garments which have sold all the season at $3, but the time has come to close them out and this price will surely do so. Among them you will find this very attractive model. It is made of fine lawn material, the front is composed of two rows of 5-inch Hamburg eyelet embroidery with fine hemstitched tucks on either side. The back has 6 rows of fine tucks and the cuffs are made of embroidery to match front.

Special Prices on Women's Linen Waists

You know how popular these garments are at the present time. We have too many of them in stock, however, and have marked them all down to insure a rapid clearance. These prices will tell the story:

The $1.98 and $2.25 grades are now marked $1.39
The $2.50 and $2.98 grades are now marked $1.98
The $3.98 grades are now marked $2.89
The $4.98 grades are now marked $3.79

SEE WINDOW DISPLAY

1000 Yards "Dirigo" Batiste

ONE-HALF PRICE

This is a summer fabric suitable for shirt waist suits or fancy gowns and kimonos. The assortment consists of figures and fancy stripes on white or tan grounds. The width is 29 inches. They have sold all season for 12½c. The "too many" price will be

6 1-4 Cents a Yard

SEE WINDOW DISPLAY

An Astonishing Value in

Window Shades

It isn't often you can secure a value like this. When you can you should take immediate advantage of the opportunity. How or why we can give it, we take for granted you care nothing about. The bare fact that we do is usually enough for the buying public.

We Have 449 Opaque Window Shades on Sale This Morning at 29c Each. Regular Price 49c, 59c, 69c

First quality. Inserted fringe. Regular size 3 ft x 6 ft.

ON SALE IN DRAPERY SECTION, SECOND FLOOR.

If you want to secure a regular 25c Belt at a saving of 10c each, secure one of our

White Embroidered Belts for 15 Cents

You may wonder how we can do it. Well, we do and are making a small profit at that. Without doubt the "other fellow," the one from whom we bought them would not tell the same story.

SEE THEM IN ONE OF OUR BIG WINDOWS.

20,000 Asters go on Sale Saturday morning. White, Pink and Purple. The price is 25 for 10 Cents

Read Every Item—Don't Miss One

Miscellaneous Discoveries

A lot of Men's 25c Underwear which we will close for 19c

A lot of Men's and Boys' 50c Shirts. Large sizes. Closing price 10c

A lot of Men's 25c Leather Belts. Closing price ..15c

A lot of Women's 50c Forest Mills Corset Covers. Closing price 23c

A lot of Women's 25c Forest Mills Corset Covers. All styles. To close 15c

A lot of Women's 25c Jersey Pants. To close 19c

A lot of Children's White and Colored Reefers. Formerly sold for 75c, 98c and $1.25. Closing price 49c

A lot of Women's White Skirts. Some are a little mussed. Others fresh goods. Formerly 98c and $1.25. To close ...75c each

A lot of Women's White Skirts which formerly sold for 69c. To close..40c

A lot of soiled Corset Covers, (White Muslin). Formerly 50c each. To close 25c

A lot of Women's Muslin Drawers which sold for 25c pair. To close.... 19c pair

A lot of Children's White Muslin Bonnets. Former price 25c and 39c. Mussed and soiled. To close 5c each

A lot of 5c Lead Pencils. To close ..... 2 for 5c

Marcus Ward's "Monarch Bond" Note Paper. 24 sheets and 24 envelopes in box. Regularly 35c. "Blue only. To close.....10c box

$1. P. N. Corsets at..69c pair

Cut Work Shams and Scarfs. Regularly 25c. To close 15c

Berlin Wool or Zephyr. Regularly 6c lap. To close..3c

Embroidered Doilies. Regularly 10c. To close 5c

Tooth Brushes. Worth 15c. Now 10c

Clothes Brushes. Worth 25c. Now 10c

Black Handled Shears. Worth 25c. Now 15c

Fancy Jar of Vaseline. Regular 10c. Now 5c

Hand Mirrors. Formerly 5c. Now 3c

Tivoli Soap (3 Cakes in box) Regularly 10c. To close..6c

Pearl Buttons. Regularly 5c dozen. Now 3c

Lace Carriage Covers. Regularly $1.00. Now 50c

FREE—With every bottle of Colgate's Dental Powder we'll give a trial cake of Cashmere Bouquet Soap.

The Special Values in the

Shoe Section

Women's $2 Tan Oxfords at $1.49 pair

Women's $1.50 Tan Oxfords at .....$1.29 pair

Women's $1.50 Brown Oxfords at .....$1.19 pair

Misses' $1.50 Tan Oxfords at $1.19 pair

Misses' $1.25 Tan Oxfords at 98c pair

69c and 75c Barefoot Sandals at ..... 59c pair

Bathing Shoes ..... 23c pair

Boys' Sneakers .... 49c pair

DISCOVERED—A LOT OF

Dress and Coat Ornaments

Which we don't want. They have sold for 15c, 25c and 50c. You can choose for 5c each

DON'T FAIL TO VISIT THE

Suit Section

Even if you have no immediate needs in that direction, for never before have we shown such a galaxy of values. Our method of cleaning up stock allows us no carry-overs from season to season. Goods must be sold in the season they are bought if price will do it (and it generally does). Consequently at this time, directly after stock-taking, discoveries are made which make it necessary to use the price cutting knife unmercifully. Read on and you will see what the price cutter has done.

25 ODD SUITS—New Spring Goods. Light and dark Voiles, Cheviots and Mixtures. Former price $13.98 to $20. Now $3.98

SILK SHIRT WAIST SUITS, $7.99—All colors. Shirred and tucked. Formerly $15.98.

WOMEN'S LINEN COAT SUITS, $4.98—Plaited coat and skirt. Small sizes. Formerly $10.98.

75 WALKING SKIRTS—All wool. Fancy mixtures. Side plaited. Blue, brown and black. Regularly $5.98 and $7.98. Now $1.98

WOMEN'S WRAPPERS, 79c—98c and $1.25 grades. Light and dark Percales and Muslins.

CHILDREN'S DRESSES, 89c—Russian Blouse, 2-Piece Suspender Suits. Formerly $1.49, $1.75 and $1.98.

25 ODD COATS—Voile, Cheviots, Broadcloth and Silk. Broken sizes. Formerly $5 to $10. Now $1.98

COLORED AND WHITE SHIRT WAIST SUITS, $2.98—Chambray and White Muslin. Balance of Stock. 30 in all. Formerly $5.98 to $7.98.

LAWN SHIRT WAIST SUITS 98c—In blue, tan, black and white. Trimmings of blue, red and white piping. Formerly $1.98 to $2.98.

WASH SKIRTS AT 98c—Formerly $1.98 and $2.49. Black and white check. Cadet blue and linen color.

DRESSING SACQUES AT 79c—Also Kimonas. Formerly $1.25 and $1.49. Good lawn, black and white figures and Persian patterns.

SEE WINDOW DISPLAY

Surprising Values in our

BASEMENT SECTION

We have rearranged our Glassware Section and to signalize the event for two days we will give the Lowell public the most tempting bargains they have seen in some time. To four tables we call particular attention.

10c Table Contains Items Worth up to 25c Each

Among which you will find the following articles: Salts and Peppers, Vinegar Bottles, Creamers, Sugars, Butters, Vases, Olive Dishes, Bon Bons, Berries, Fruit Dishes, etc.

25c Table Contains Items Worth up to 50c Each

On this table you will find: Water Bottles, Berry Dishes, Fruit Dishes, Celery Dishes, Bon Bons, Olives, Pickles, Cracker Jars, Syrup Jugs, Vases, Water Pitchers, etc.

49c Table Contains Items Worth up to $1.00 Each

On this table you will find: Berry Sets, Footed Fruit Bowls, cake Salvers, Wine Bottles, Water Pitchers, Rose Bowls, etc.

98c Table Contains Items Worth up to $1.50 Each

On this table you will find: Water Sets, Wine Sets, Table Sets, Berry Sets, Whiskey Jugs, Rose Bowls, etc.

A great variety of higher priced goods on other tables

Three Strong Seasonable Items in Enamelware

No 1—Royal Granite Steel Sauce Pans, 5 quart size, regularly 35c, now...25c

No. 2—Royal Granite Steel Preserve Kettles, 12 quart size, regularly 79c, now 49c

No. 3—Royal Granite Steel Convex Kettles, with heavy covers, 20 quart size, worth $1.39, now 98c

Three Invincible Leaders in Our Trunk Dept.

COW HIDE SUIT CASE $3.98—24 inch size, steel frame, first class leather, reinforced corners, brass trimmings, usually $4.98.

BASKET SUIT CASE $2.39—24-inch size, leather bound, brass trimmings and lock, usually $2.98.

IMITATION PEBBLE LEATHER CASES $1.98—24-inch size, desirable colors, solid leather corners, brass trimmings and lock. Usually $2.98.

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USED THEIR CLUBS

The Police Did a Wicked Job

ON "TOM" HOBAN'S ANCIENT PETS

The Defeated Team Changes Its Name

There's a ball team in town made up of good old husky has-beens that travels around under two names. When it wins one reads of the great victory of Hoban's Pets while when it loses one hears of the misfortunes of Mulvaney's Cannibals.

Yesterday a reporter of The Sun with the aid of a field glass made the important discovery that the two clubs

Hoban makes a grandstand slide for second.

are one and the same. Yesterday it was announced that the celebrated rag-chewing police team would play Hoban's Pets. But after the game the announcement was that Mulvaney's Cannibals had been the victims of the coppers. Young Hoban is very sensitive over his ability as a ball player and he dislikes the use of his name with a losing aggregation. Some years ago a traveling salesman who wanted to work off some home-made sour mash on him said to him: "Tommy, I have seen a lot of ball players in my travels but none has ever shown your style." Hoban always believed him for he said the runner had been around a lot and knew a good ball player when he saw him.

So Hoban hired a job wagon yester-

Catcher Casey's hair interferes with his playing.

day, and tying his Pets in, started for Spalding park to have at it with the police team. He borrowed a pitcher, young Eames of the Textile school, but all the others except one were genuine Pets.

The one exception was a slick-looking young guy who wagged his tail at

McCann fumbles the ball badly.

the name of Casey. He was also called "Side of Sawsige" and he was called many other names before the game was over. Casey's principal features were his hair which waved gracefully in the breezes like a field of wheat, and his voice. He wore enough hair to keep a mattress factory working overtime for a week. He could talk base ball with anyone on the field but when

Mulvaney was a great coach.

he went behind the bat and caught a few Hoban promptly changed the name of the team and offered a reward for information as to how Casey "butted in." Of the genuine Pets there was good old Jimmy Mulvaney, who has been playing ball for 30 years without improving. Jimmy used to be a pitcher before the curve ball was discovered but for the past 15 or 18 years has played first base. He did very well considering. There was room for only 20 marks in the error box and when the scorer had filled it he stopped recording Jimmie's errors. Jimmie made a good director for while he didn't play well himself he told all the other players how to play their positions. He talked almost as much as young "Side of Sawsige."

The only real exhibition of ball playing on the part of the Pets was Fred Tighe. He had two chances in right field which he accepted, making two of the finest catches seen at Spalding park. He ran bases like a deer and scored one of the Pets two runs. While he didn't hit safely he brought

Flanagan played in his old-time form.

in the other run by a fly to the outfield and in fact he appears to be a real ball player. Manager Hoban should put Tighe on first base and let Mulvaney mind the bats for the remainder of the season.

The police team have the best team of players in their history, and they should defeat any police team in New England. Several of them are old-time professional ball players, while the others are all crack athletes. Mat McCann was the only one of the police team who couldn't play yesterday and Mulvaney got him going at the start by challenging him to run 100 yards. Mat considered it an insult to be challenged by a human steam roller and he was so indignant over it that he couldn't play at all.

A representative of St. Peter's orphanage was present and in behalf of the orphanage team (average age 10) invited the Hoban Pets to play them in the back yard of the orphanage next week.

The score:

POLICE TEAM.

	ab	r	1b	tb	po	a	e
McCann 2b	4	4	2	4	2	2	0
Castle ss	5	4	2	2	1	3	0
Flanagan 1b	3	2	2	2	5	1	0
Donovan c	5	2	3	3	2	3	0
Cogger 2b	4	0	1	1	2	2	0
Whelan cf	5	1	0	0	1	0	0
Bayle lf	3	1	1	1	3	0	0
Burnett p	3	1	1	1	1	3	0
Riley rf	3	1	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	31	16	12	14	18	14	0

HOBAN'S PET.

	ab	r	1b	tb	po	a	e
Casey c	4	1	0	0	3	2	1
Ames p	4	0	0	0	1	3	0
Mulvaney 1b	4	0	2	4	6	1	2
Cudworth ss	3	0	0	0	2	2	1
Sullivan 3b	3	0	0	0	1	3	1
Duffy rf	3	0	0	0	1	0	0
Hoban 2b, of	3	0	0	0	1	1	3
Cook cf, 2b	3	0	0	0	1	1	0
Tighe rf	2	1	0	0	2	0	0
Totals	29	2	2	4	18	13	8

Police Team	5	2	6	0	2	1	—16
Hoban's Pets	0	0	0	0	2	0	—2

Earned runs—Police Team 10. Two base hits—McCann 2, Mulvaney 2. Double play Burnett, Cogger and Flanagan. Stolen bases—Flanagan 3, Donovan 2, McCann 2. Base on balls—Castle, Tighe. Hit by pitched ball—Flanagan. Time—1.45. Umpire—Dwyer.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

Princess lodge, No. 12, I. O. O. F., of St. George held its regular meeting Tuesday evening and transacted considerable routine business.

A special committee was appointed to arrange for a trolley ride to Revere beach, Saturday, August 5th.

Lowell Aerie, No. 223, F. O. E., held a very well attended meeting last evening, considering that a great many members of the Aerie were in attendance at the annual field day, which was being held in Providence, R. I., and Crescent Park.

A large amount of routine business was transacted, and the committee in charge of the annual outing of the local aerie which will be held at Mountain Rock, next Labor day, reported that their efforts will ensure the best outing the aerie has ever held.

A full band has been engaged and a short parade of the aerie will be held before taking the cars at Paige street. There were 10 candidates initiated, and four applications for membership were received.

For sale by Thompson Hardware Co., W. T. S. Bartlett, Adams Hardware & Paint Co., E. P. Flanders & Co. and Nap. D. Lafleur.

ARMY OFFICERS

Are Involved in the Taggart Case

WITNESS TELLS OF DRINKING PARTIES

Mrs. Taggat Took Her Whiskey Clear

WOOSTER, O., Aug. 4.—Stories of the beautiful wives of army officers engaging in beer drinking contests, in which the wife of Maj. Taggart was said to outdo all rivals, and of midnight visits to Mrs. Taggart by the major's superior and subordinate officers, were told on the witness stand yesterday in the divorce suit brought by Maj. Taggart.

Beyond this, Mrs. Taggart was put in the light of being a great whiskey drinker, one witness declaring that she preferred her distilled liquor straight, and laughed at high army officers who diluted it with water.

Howard Taggart of Baltimore, brother of the major, was a main witness.

"I lived with my brother at Fort Thomas from 1893 until 1896," said Howard Taggart. "I know Lieut. Raybher. I often saw him at my brother's house. One night when my brother was at the Fort Thomas rifle range for two weeks I retired early. I was up several times in the night. At 1.30 I saw a light burning in the front hall. I was at the head of the stairs. Lieut. Raybher opened the door, without knocking, and tiptoed into the parlor. I waited five or 10 minutes and then went downstairs.

"Mrs. Taggart came out of the parlor and asked me what I wanted. I said I wanted a drink of water. I went straight back to the ice box. I started then to investigate.

"When I got to the dining room I heard some one leave the parlor. I hurried to the door and saw Lieut. Raybher tiptoe out of the parlor toward the front door. To my knowledge Lieut. Raybher did not call at the house after that.

"I told Maj. Taggart of this only after the suit for divorce was begun.

"A week after the midnight occurrence, Mrs. Taggart handed me an anonymous letter. It was addressed to Maj. Taggart and warned him to watch his wife, as Lieut. Raybher had once taken her to a hotel at Newport, Ky.

"When officers called at the house Maj. Taggart would offer them liquors and cigars and Mrs. Taggart would drink with them. Mrs. Taggart drank whiskey straight and prided herself because of it. She laughed at officers who drank water with theirs.

"Mrs. Taggart and the wife of another officer had a beer drinking contest at the canteen set aside for officers and their wives. One of the officers wagered Mrs. Taggart could drink the most beer. Another officer backed the other. I left before the contest was over.

"Maj. Taggart often remonstrated with his wife for giving beer to their eldest boy. I did not drink at the time, but one day Mrs. Taggart mixed me what I thought was lemonade, and it made me so drunk I had to go to bed.

"Officers and their wives had a social club at Fort Thomas," continued Howard Taggart. "Mrs. Taggart told me the second year she was not invited to join. She told me the wives of two other officers were also left out. Maj. Taggart had told her then that they were considered three of a kind."

To show the character of Mrs. Taggart's associates, the witness was allowed to testify that Mrs. Taggart told him that a certain lieutenant was forced to leave West Point by his wife's conduct with another officer. Long argument on the competence of such testimony followed. The court overruled the objection.

After recess Howard Taggart toook the stand again and told of observations in Matanzas, Cuba. Mrs. Taggart and an officer were there.

"One day I noticed a cut on Mrs. Taggart's forehead," said he. "She wore her hair down over her eye, concealing the cut. Sh etold me that was a new style. I told the other women I had heard Mrs. Taggart got cut while drinking with two volunteer officers. She said they met the officers on the plaza and went to a saloon. They drank 'high balls' at first. Then one officer ordered champagne.

"They had filled their glasses and were standing when Maj. Taggart appeared in the doorway. One of the officers waved his glass and cried: 'Hello, Tark, here's how.' Maj. Taggart knocked the glass from his hand and the officer fell, so drunk he could not get up. It was when Mrs. Taggart returned home she fell against a dresser and cut her head.

"When Mrs. Taggart returned from the Philippines in 1903, I visited her in Chicago for a day. She showed me the things she brought back with her. There were three long fur coats worth $1500 and kimonos from Japan that cost $75 each. She told me Maj. Taggart had spent his last dollar buying these and other nice things, and had to borrow money to get back home.

"She had furniture inlaid with mother-of-pearl they brought from Manila. She told me that the trouble with the officers in the Philippines was that they drank so much they could not stand the climate, but that Maj. Taggart drank nothing there. That, she said, was why he was looking so well."

The witness told of poker games among the officers, but said Maj. Taggart did not play much.

"There was one game at the club when Maj. Taggart played," he said. "There were bottles of liquor on the table, and a minister was shoved into the room as a joke."

ALMOST A RIOT

Boston Police Seized Two Anarchists

BOSTON, Aug. 4.—A crowd of a hundred foreigners, listening to the preaching of five anarchists in North square shortly after 11 o'clock last night, was dispersed amid great excitement by Officers Leonard and Cavagnaro of Station 1. Two of the anarchists were arrested and taken to the station, where they were warned never to come to this city again. Then they were allowed to go.

The anarchists, who were dressed in the height of fashion and are all foreigners, came to this city from Lynn yesterday morning and during the afternoon attempted to give addresses in different parts of the North end, but were driven away by the police.

Late last evening, followed by an enthusiastic crowd, cheering and waving their arms above their heads in wild gestures, they assembled at North square, and, perched upon boxes, began to talk again. In their own language they urged the people to overthrow the governor and take the government by force. They advocated doing away with the head officials of the state and men of wealth. Each exhortation was received with cheers and wild enthusiasm.

Patrolman Cavagnaro, who had concealed himself behind a building and understood what was said, together with Patrolman Leonard, suddenly sprang out, and, with drawn clubs, dispersed the crowd and caught two of the preachers. This drove the crowd frantic, and for a short time it looked as if it would pounce upon the two officers. Stones were thrown, and hisses and oaths showered upon the officers.

The walk to the patrol box with their prisoners was difficult, as the crowd swarmed upon the sidewalks and only by swinging their clubs and beating their way through, were the officers able to make any progress.

Sergt. Sweeney and other patrolmen were hurriedly sent from the police station. The great crowd filled Hanover street at the corner of Prince and became so unruly that all traffic was blocked. The extra patrolmen succeeded in starting it moving.

After the two alleged anarchists were safely landed officers were detailed to search for the four others, but they escaped, and are being harbored in the house of friends. Small groups of men filled the streets until long aft midnight swearing vengeance upon officers.

BISHOP CALLED

TO HELP MAINTAIN THE QUARANTINE OF THE GULF COAST.

JACKSON, Miss., Aug. 4—Governor Vardaman, yesterday ordered out troops to reinforce the soldiers doing quarantine duty on the gulf coast. A detail of 18 men from the Wessen company commanded by Lieut. Slyde, passed through the city this afternoon, enroute to Gulf port. The governor has instructed Adjutant Fridge to keep him fully advised of the situation and more troops will be sent if necessary to maintain the quarantine and keep yellow fever out of Mississippi.

LOWELL WOMAN

HURT AT HOUGHS NECK WHILE LANDING.

QUINCY, Aug. 4.—Mrs. James Gragg of Lowell, occupying the Stanwell cottage at Houghs Neck, last night slipped on the float at the Atlantic yacht club-house while landing from a boat. She was unconscious for several hours. She was attended by four physicians who said her condition was due to a severe nervous shock, and that no serious results would follow. She was removed to her summer home.

MINOR ACCIDENTS.

Clyde McArdle, aged 12 years and residing at 402 Central street, while picking apples at 85 Hildreth street, yesterday afternoon, fell from a tree sustaining a fracture of the left arm. He was taken to the Emergency hospital where his injury was dressed.

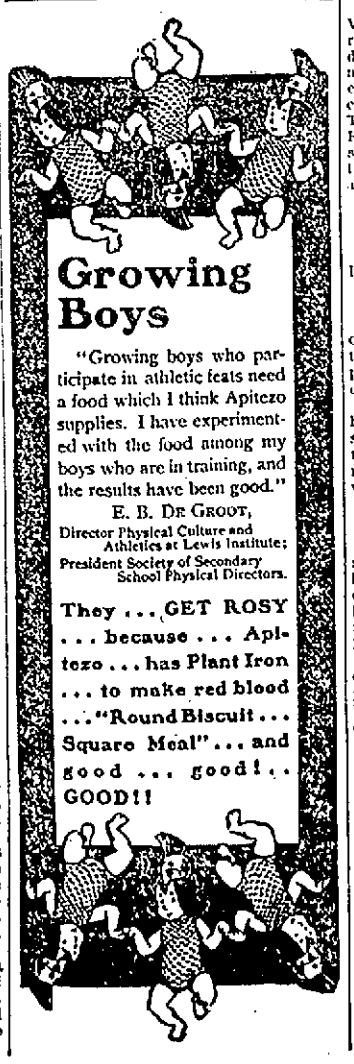
At the Emergency hospital also Charles Flynn, 213 Fletcher street, 15 years old, received attention for lacerations to left arm, caused by a churning machine.

SOME RAILROAD CHANGES.

William Sanborn has resigned the presidency of the Lowell Brotherhood of Freight and Baggagemen and also his position at the northern depot. He has accepted a position as freight brakeman at Nashua.

Mr. John Corcoran, for a long time depot master at the Merrimack street station, has taken his place.

John C. Cook has been advanced from way bill clerk to Northern depot agent of the American Express company to succeed John Collins, who has been transferred to Salem. W. H. Martin has been appointed to Mr. Cook's former position.



JOHN McMANUS

THINKS HIS BROTHER MAY HAVE BEEN SHOT.

Overseer-of-the-Poor John McManus is of the opinion that the private, Michael J. McManus, who was shot at Fort Ethan Allen yesterday, is his brother.

Mr. McManus stated to a Sun reporter that he had a brother by that name whom he has not seen since he left Lawrence, about 20 years ago. At that time he was 19 or 20 years of age.

Mr. McManus has sent a telegram to Burlington, Vt., seeking information regarding the man who was shot and is anxiously awaiting a reply.

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Kitchen girl at once. Apply Weston House, 276 Appleton st.

WANTED—Ten men with bad shaped heads to call at Delorme's the Hatter and he will fit the head perfect with a stylish hat at 261 Middlesex st. Delorme, Practical Hatter. Repairing a specialty.

EXPERIENCED COOK wanted. 30 George st., Boott corp.

WANTED—By a large Massachusetts company several reliable and trustworthy men; permanent positions; opportunities for advancement. Apply Manager, Room 4 and 5 Grosvenor Block, Merrimack and Bridge sts.

WANTED—Cook at 25 John st.

WANTED—Lady demonstrators at once, call at 66 Austin st., H. Hall Mgr., city.

WANTED—Good nickel plater and finisher wanted. Apply 64 Middle st.

WANTED—Painter and paperhanger, new house, Winthrop ave., off Powell st. Come ready to work.

WANTED—A blacksmith for machine shop work. Apply C. D. Sargent Sons' Corp., Graniteville, Mass.

WANTED—Table and kitchen girl, 9-10 Dutton st.

WANTED—Men everywhere, good pay; to distribute circulars, adv. matter, tack signs, etc. No canvassing. National Adv. Bureau, Chicago.

ANY INTELLIGENT PERSON may earn a good income corresponding for newspapers; no canvassing; experience unnecessary. Send for particulars. Northern Press Syndicate, Lockport, N. Y.

WANTED—Local men to collect and canvass, steady work, salary and commission. Room 31, Hildreth Building.

WANTED AT ONCE—Spooler tenders at the Barker mill, Auburn, Me. Inquire William Hayes, Agt.

WANTED—First class table girls, chamber girls, cooks and kitchen girls for seashore and mountains; high wages; also a few general house girls wanted. Prescott Employment Bureau, 34 Prescott st., in the Jewelry store.

WANTED

Cap and flyer spinners at once. Transportation paid both ways. Apply at Brookside Worsted Mills, Brookside, Mass.

MONEY TO LOAN

DON'T BE SHORT—Plenty of money to loan to permanent salaried people on easy weekly payments, lowest rates in the city (confidential) no publicity, no delay, special inducements for quick payments. Private office. Offices in Lowell and Lawrence. U. S. Loan Co., 90 Prescott st.

$5, $10, $15—Emergency loans for "tight" places quickly secured at the best place in Lowell. T. H. Kelley's 392 Middlesex st.

MONEY ON CREDIT without security, salaried people and others. Best terms, liberal discount, commission paid. Merrimack Loan Co., Associate Building.

MONEY LOANED—Overcome your difficulties, our plan of loaning money on salaries is the most liberal to be found anywhere, easy weekly payments. All transactions confidential. Massachusetts Loan Co., Room 22, Hildreth Building.

MONEY LOANED salaried people, retail merchants, teamsters and others, without security, easy payments, offices in 50 leading cities. Tolman, room 48 Hildreth Building, 45 Merrimack st.

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and all personal property. Private office. (Strictly confidential.) Room 5, Swan building, 26 Central st.

MONEY TO LOAN at short notice on furniture, pianos, diamonds, etc. Leases paid off and more money advanced. All business strictly confidential. Address W. E. Leighas, room 9, Barristers' Hall.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—A female tiger Angora cat. Suitable reward if returned to George Bense, 35 West Ninth st.

LOST—A lady's hand bag between Bon Marche and Merrimack st. Return to 24 Brooks st.

LOST—A paper hanger's grip between A and Powell sts. Finder return to Mr. Pinard, 331 Westford st.

LOST—A watch Thursday eve, at Lakeview park. Reward at 9 Spring st.

WANTED

WANTED—A second hand electric motor 1 horse power in good condition, at once. Address H., Sun Office.

WANTED—A covered wagon for light delivery; must be in good condition. B., Sun Office.

DEFECTIVE CHIMNEYS—If you have not had your chimneys examined within ten years, you should have them examined for your own sake as it does not do to take chances on chimneys that are apt to be defective. Smith Bros., Chimney Builders, 145 Liberty st. Telephone 1593-2.

WANTED—To hear from lady on farm between 50 and 55. Address B, Sun Office.

WANTED—Furnished flat of 4 or 5 rooms, five minutes from city hall. Address R., Sun Office.

WANTED—A respectable young man desiring board in a private family. Inquire at Sun office.

WANTED—A house of 9 or 10 rooms to rent in vicinity of ward 7. Address E. A. D., Sun Office.

WANTED—Children to board in East Chelmsford, second house on right past city line, take Boston car.

INFORMATION WANTED

NOTICE—DIVORCES

Strictly private advice and book free. Short wait, prompt, efficient, references everywhere, success in all counties in Massachusetts, lowest fee, easily paid. Our only office. Lawyer, 47 Court St., Room 11, Boston, Mass.

SPECIAL NOTICES

WHEN YOU CONSIDER the fact that there were over 240,000 cups of our "Capital Coffee" drank last year, you must acknowledge its good quality, or there wouldn't have been so many drinking it. It is as we claim, thirty-five cent quality. We sell it for 25c. Nichols & Co., 31 John st.

SMITH BROS., the well known chimney builders, have removed from 322 E. Merrimack st. to 145 Liberty st. Tel 1593-2.

MISS L. VIVIAN PRESSY, Piano teacher, 127 Stackpole st.

M. GOLDSTEIN CO., dealers in wall papers, also paper hanging, whitewashing and painting. 1 room papered $1.75, work guaranteed. 168 Chelmsford st., Lowell, Mass.

WHEN YOU WANT to save money and get good goods you should not forget to think of us. We sell nice, new crop Teas, fresh roasted Coffees, 18 lbs. best granulated sugar, $1. Cut prices on fruit jars. Free delivery. Dickson's Tea Store, 68 Merrimack st.

HAVE YOUR CHIMNEYS swept out from top to bottom with steel brushes and an iron door set in the bottom all for $2.50 per chimney. Special offer for August only. Smith Bros., 145 Liberty st. Tel. 1593-2.

WM. E. RIGG, 65 Billerica st., Riverside Park, piano and furniture mover in or out of city. Prices reasonable for good work. Sign on barn. Also some pigs for sale.

LOWELL SWIMMING POOL, 501 Pawtucket street, foot of Rolfe, is now open to the public. Take Broadway cars.

PRESCOTT EMPLOYMENT BUREAU—Reliable help of all kinds wanted and furnished. Mill, farm, domestic, beach and mountain hotel help a specialty. 34 Prescott st., Lowell, Mass. Telephone 893-2.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news-stands of the Union station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—Situation as chamber maid. Address N. C., Sun Office.

WANTED—Situation to do housework or chamberwork or work in country. 20 Linden street.

SITUATION WANTED—A nurse trained in maternity hospital, especially for confinement cases. Highest medical references, terms moderate. Mrs. Battle, Maternity Nurse, 24 Third st.

MISCELLANEOUS

CHIROPODIST, C. M. Saunders, 90 Prescott st., office closed Thursdays during August. Telephone.

MRS. C. ADAMS—Clairvoyant and card reader and ladies' parlor employment office at 382 Central st.

CHIMNEYS REPAIRED at short notice. Smith Bros., 145 Liberty st. Telephone 1593-2.

MRS. C. ADAMS—Clairvoyant, has removed from 275 Gorham st., to 382 Central st., near Tyler st.

HATTIE MYRTLE CHADWICK, clairaudiant, wishes to inform her patrons that owing to much needed rest her rooms at 382 Bridge st., will be closed until Aug. 25.

REAL ESTATE MEN, PROPERTY OWNERS, ETC.—Will paper your room, furnishing paper, and border to match the same, including the hanging for $2.00; special prices given for work consisting of more than one room; estimates furnished on inside and outside painting, whitewashing, etc., first-class work guaranteed. Baker (The New Racket), 303 Middlesex st.

WHITE SEWING MACHINE CO.—Ladies, before buying a sewing machine see our rotary, it is the lightest and most endurable machine in the market. We have other makes, second hand machines from $3 to $10. 376 Bridge st.

MRS. FLETCHER, 769 Gorham st., trance medium and card reader.

CHIROPODIST—C. M. Saunders, 90 Prescott st. Office open all summer except Thursday afternoons during July. Telephone 1328-3.

NOW IS THE TIME to have your chimney repaired, chimneys swept out from top to bottom, furnace and boilers swept and cleaned; also slated roofs repaired. Get Smith Brothers, 145 Liberty st. Telephone 1593-2.

MONEY—The best place in the city to borrow money is from the U. S. Loan Co., 90 Prescott st.

NOW IS THE TIME to bring in your Panama hats and have them cleaned. We have all the latest shapes in stiff hats. We will give a hat cleaner free with every purchase of a hat at J. Delorme's, 261 Middlesex st. The famous hatter.

THE WONDERFUL DRINK GLORIA, gives youthful vigor, and a day of new life in every drink. Boyle Bros., Telephone.

CARPENTERS AND BUILDERS should order "The Chase Lock Hinge" for blinds direct from factory at a liberal discount. Box 150, Waltham.

PILES, HEMORRHOIDS—Rectal trouble sufferers. I am no free sample deposit or C. O. D. fakir. I was positively cured years standing. Have cured hundreds severe cases by the formula of a specialist of highest standing. Formula—Advice 50 cts. Treatment inexpensive. M. Adams, 220 A, Pearl st., Somerville, Mass.

GENERAL REPAIRING, tenements specially. 1 Charles Court, off Charles st. 2 flights up.

MIRACLE. The great German rust exterminator. Takes the rust off lawn mowers, cutlery, in fact everything, without labor. Once used always used. For sale by all leading hardware houses. Price 25 cents. Hugo Hill, Manufacturer.

MOTHERS—Rent's Destroyer kills lice on children, and all insects; cures dandruff and itching scalp; prevents falling hair, harmless. 25c only at Falls & Burkinshaw's, 418 Middlesex st.

LADIES Dr. LaFranco's Compound gives positive relief; powerful combination used by 200,000 women. Price 25 cents; druggists or by mail. Address LaFranco & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

LIMBURG—Chimney expert; chimneys swept and repaired. Residence 1128 Bridge street. Telephone.

OFFICE TO LET—A fine office on second floor of the Harrington building, 52 Central st. Inquire at The Sun office.

SOMETIMES

Everyone wants money, no matter how saving a person may be one cannot foresee everything. We give the money so cheap and make the repayments so easy that it helps over a rough place in life's pathway without a jar.

CASH LOANS TO ANYONE with a salary. No security asked; a plain note is all we require

KELLEY, the Money Lender,
392 Middlesex st.

TO LET

TO LET—Furnished rooms at 25 West Sixth st.

TO LET—Nice front room at $2 per week, table board, hot water, bath, attention to transients. 251 Central st.

TO LET—Large pleasant rooms to rent furnished or unfurnished, all modern conveniences, near the Atherton mills. Address C., Sun Office.

FURNISHED ROOM to let, front room newly furnished, bath, hot and cold water, 2 minutes' walk from Westford cor. Chelmsford sts. Apply at 166 Grand st.

TO LET—On Salem st., near Pawtucket, a modern six room tenement. Call at 252 Riverside st. Tel. 986-3.

TO LET—Neatly furnished rooms to let in private family. 696 Moody st.

TO LET—Desirable residence at 243 Pleasant st., Dracut Navy Yard. House containing nine large sunny rooms, furnace heat, half acre of land, fruit trees, two minutes' walk to electric cars. Apply at 138 Sladen st., Dracut, Mass.

CLEAN, HOMELIKE TENEMENTS—Don't forget that we are headquarters for clean, homelike tenements for small families at low rents. If you think of moving call and see us. T. H. Elliott, 61 Central st.

TO LET—At Lakeview Terrace furnished rooms, gentlemen preferred. Apply on premises. Mrs. Pratt.

ROOM WITH POWER to let in card building, Shattuck st. Wm. E. Badger, Locks & Canals office.

WANTED—Three good second-hand carpets. Write A. this office.

TO LET—A five room tenement, newly renovated, No. 12 Rogers street, rent low. Apply at M. Wyman's, 62 Middlesex st.

TO LET—A tenement of five rooms beside bath, and pantry $9.00 per month. Inquire 4 Sutherland st.

TO LET—Two, four or six rooms, bath per week $2 up. 465 Westford cor. South Canton st. Telephone 1271-5.

ROOMS TO LET—In the Harrington building, 52 Central st. Inquire at The Sun office.

STORE TO LET—33 Shattuck street, Wm. E. Badger, Locks & Canals office.

ROOMS TO LET at 52 Central st. Inquire of janitor or at Sun Office.

A NICE OFFICE to let on the second floor of the Harrington Building, 52 Central st. Rent low. Inquire at Sun Office.

TO LET—Very desirable residence, No. 95 Myrtle st. consisting of ten room house and stable. Telephone 282-13.

TO LET—Corner Windsor & Westford streets two six room flats, all hard wood floors; steam heat, continuous hot water and gas range furnished. All modern conveniences. Apply James H. Walker, 48 Fletcher street. Tel. 911-2.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Great bargain, two-tenement house, Centralville, ten minutes' walk from Merrimack sq. Particulars 113 Lawrence st., right hand bell.

FOR SALE—A good paying boarding house. Inquire at Sun Office.

FOR SALE—25 Rhode Island hens and 3 white leghorn chickens. Address D. W., this office.

AUTOMOBILE FOR SALE—6 horse power DeDion engine with running gear complete, price 75 dollars. 195 Moody st., Lowell.

FOR SALE—A painter's outfit. For particulars inquire at Nap. Lafleur's Hardware Store, East Merrimack st.

FOR SALE—Two second hand boilers, 36 inches and 54 inches in diameter. T. A. Stevens, 29 Central Block.

FOR SALE—Wagon, Tuesday, August 8 at 10 a. m. Linsted Carriage Shop, Chelmsford Centre.

FOR SALE—A Boston terrier bitch, 3 months old, handsomely marked, can be registered; also fancy pigeons. Hamilton, 451 Mammot road.

FOR SALE—Will sell my boarding house for $150 if sold at once. Address S. B., Sun Office.

FOR SALE—Cigar store, pool room and barber shop. $300 if sold at once. Inquire 131 Central st.

FOR SALE—A nicely furnished lodging house centrally located. Inquire at Sun Office.

FOR SALE—A boarding and lodging house, 22 rooms and all modern conveniences. For further particulars inquire 9 Sayles st.

VALUABLE CORNER LOT for sale containing about 4700 feet, suitable for the erection of a 9 tenement block, situated by the North common. No better site for building can be found. Owner about to leave the city. Apply to C. F. Keyes, 52 Central st.

FOR SALE—Dry Jobbin wood, 10 bushels, (5 baskets) $1.00. W. H. Parker & Sons, Telephone 1074-3., cor. Rogers and Perry sts.

BUSINESS CHANCES

FOR SALE—One of the best lodging houses in the city for $550. Call on Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex street, near depot.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Almost new 7-room cottage, cemented cellar, new henhouse, 14x150, cost $700, about three quarters of an acre of land, must be sold at once, terms easy, 5 cent fare. C. Morse, 64 Middle st.

FOR SALE—Cottage house of four rooms, with ½ an acre of land in Dracut, car passes the door. Price $725. Inquire at 151 Charles st.

TWO NEW COTTAGES FOR SALE

At bargain prices on Emery and Inland streets. One of 7 rooms, bath, hot and cold water, plenty of land. One of six rooms, with electric bells, turfed and graded. Both have gas and gas fixtures, city water, sewer connections, and water meters all in and paid for. Prices low and sold on the rental plan. Eugene G. Russell, Real Estate and Fire Insurance, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

ROYAL ARCANUM

Members and others, the NEW SPECIAL POLICY of the

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Prevents All Further Regrets

Cost grows Less each year yet the Value Increases. Seventy Millions and profits belongs to the members. A postal or call by appointment will give you full information.

M. J. SHARKEY, Insurance,
Swan Bldg., 26 Central St.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

LOAN ORDERS

For Sewer and Street Departments

Passed by Aldermen and Defeated by Councilmen—Griffiths Confirmed as Cemetery Trustee—Spillane Still on the Table

The board of aldermen met last night and passed a joint loan order of $50,000 for sewer construction. The mayor's nomination of Richard Griffiths as cemetery trustee was confirmed and the board refused to take from the table the mayor's appointment of James J. Spillane to the board of health.

The aldermen were in a liberal mood and passed joint loan orders of $35,000 for the street department and $1800 for the building of an annex to the Lyon street school.

Chairman Grant called to order at 8.15 and roll call showed a full attendance.

Petition of Boston & Northern Street Railway company for permission to extend it sdouble tracks in Middlesex street to connect with the single track in Thorndike street at Depot square, was read and a hearing ordered for Tuesday evening, September 12.

Joint order establishing a loan of $50,000 for sewer construction was unanimously adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Joint loan order for $35,000 to piece out the street department appropriation was read. The order was adopted after much talk.

Joint order appropriating $225 for the printing of the municipal register for the current year was adopted.

C. H. Clough's petition for gasolene lights in Birch street was referred to the committee on street lighting.

Petition signed by John J. O'Connell and other residents of ward four, for an annex to the Lyon street school, was referred to the lands and buildings committee. A communication was received from the mayor recommending the proposed annex.

Joint order introduced by Alderman Cosgrove, providing for an appropriation of $1800, was adopted. Mr. Cosgrove spoke in support of his order. He said the necessity of such an improvement could not be constantly questioned.

Alderman Allen was not convinced that the annex was really needed. He did not understand why the matter could not be referred to the lands and buildings committee as such matters always are. Alderman Bourke spoke at some length in favor of the order and Messrs. Hayes, Walker and Fairweather followed with favorable remarks. The order prevailed, eight voting for it and one absent.

Thomas Hennessy's petition for permission to alter a wooden building in Hurd street, to enlarge the Hollaway, was referred to the lands and buildings committee.

Petition of the Shaw Machine company for the extension of the sewer in Middlesex street about 700 feet to drain the proposed new machine shop, was referred with petitions for sewers in Hildreth, Brooks and Fletcher streets.

Agent Knapp's communication relative to the recent smallpox epidemic, and an accompanying joint order appropriating $2300 to pay the bill, were referred on Alderman Braden's motion to the appropriations committee.

The committee on street lighting sent in a recommendation for gas lights in Grare street, and a resolution for the lights was adopted. Alderman Hayes said the committee on street lighting "recommend lights for other sections of the city while the people over in Pawtucketville are losing themselves every night. It is so dark over there nights that a man can't find the house he lives in. The committee ought to get a move on and give us light."

Petition from C. P. Sauls for permission to remove a building from Thorndike street to Lincoln street was read. A hearing was asked for September 12. Alderman Allen said he couldn't see the necessity of granting a hearing. "The building is on the way to its destination now. It will reach its new site before September 12, so what's the use of giving the hearing." The hearing was ordered.

Joint order introduced by Alderman Allen, providing that Depot square be officially named Livingston square, referred to the street committee.

A recess of ten minutes was voted at 9.05. The board reassembled at 9.10 and adjourned without further business.

COMMON COUNCIL.

President Dodge called to order at 8.20.

The $50,000 sewer loan failed of concurrence 16 to 2, less than the required two-thirds, Leach and Wilder in the negative. Councilman Clough moved reconsideration at the next meeting. A recess was taken.

On reassembling the joint provision for printing the municipal register, the reference of the mayor's message on the Lyon street school and of the O'Connell petition in relation to the same were concurred in. When the $1800 loan for the two-room annex at the Lyon street school came up Councilmen Carr, McAloon and others spoke in favor. President Dodge called Councilman Blake to the chair and took the floor in favor. Councilmen Cheney, Morse and McMahon also spoke in favor and expressed surprise that the basement should ever been thought of. The loan then passed in concurrence by a unanimous vote.

The $35,000 loan for street department purposes came up. President Dodge, who remained on the floor, opposed. He said it was poor policy to borrow money for current expenses. Councilman Cheney was as strongly in favor and claimed that the streets were in tough condition.

Councilman Morse was against and Councilman Carr in favor. McMahon was in favor and Allard opposed. Alderman Hayes wanted to say something for the street committee, but failed to get unanimous consent, as President Dodge objected on the ground that the alderman was not a member of the lower branch.

Councilman Blake wanted President Dodge to return to the chair, but the latter said he could not resume while the matter was pending. Councilman Blake, who wanted to speak in favor for the street committee, vacated the chair to do so, and called Councilman J. W. Daly to the rostrum.

When the matter came to a vote it failed of passage by the requisite two-thirds, the vote being 12 to 6—Allard, Dodge, Leach, Morse, White and Wilder in the negative. Councilman Carr moved reconsideration at the next meeting.

The Allen proposal to name the new square at Thorndike street, Livingston square, and the board of health transfer of $2300 for smallpox expenses were referred in concurrence.

At 9.45 the council adjourned until tonight.

SIX CARS

LEFT LOWELL ON THE REVERE EXCURSION.

Six cars from this city and one from Nashua carried about 400 people to Revere beach this morning, this being one of the regular excursions to the beach. This is by far the biggest number that has enjoyed the trip since the limited excursion was adopted several weeks ago.

The cars left Merrimack square at 8.15 and the return trip will be made about seven o'clock in the evening.

Match race, Mercier's rink, Friday evening.

BLOOD POISON is the worst disease on earth, yet the easiest to cure WHEN YOU KNOW WHAT TO DO. Many have pimples, spots on the skin, sores in the mouth, ulcers, falling hair, bone pains, catarrh, and don't know it is BLOOD POISON. Send to Dr. Brown, 935 Arch st., Philadelphia, Penn., for BROWN'S BLOOD CURE, $2.00 per bottle; lasts one month. Sold in Lowell only by Falls & Burkinshaw, 418 Middlesex st., cor. Thorndike.

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If you are looking for a watch that is a first class time keeper, one that you can depend upon, we have it. We don't want anybody's money without giving full value in return and a little more. That is why we do the watch business of Lowell.

$ 8.98 Gents' 20 year Waltham, regular price $15.00.

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$12.98 Ladies' 20 year Waltham or Elgin regular price $20.00.

$ 6.98 Ladies' Open Face Silver and Enamel, regular price $11.00.

$25.00 to $100.00 Ladies' and Gents' Fine 14k Gold and Diamond Case, fitted with high grade movements.

These are a few specials. We carry everything in the watch line from $1.00 up at prices that sell the goods.

The best Silver Polish in the world, 2 jars 25c, regular 25c jar. Our line of Back Combs and Novelties is most complete.

39c Each. Our windows, No. 1 and 2 are filled with goods at this price that sold regularly for 50c to $1.50.

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Men's Finest Suits in cheviots and worsteds, that sold earlier at $13, $15 and $18,
Stock Clearing Sale Price **$9.95**

Men's Fine Suits in worsteds and cheviots, that sold earlier at $10, $12 and $13,
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Men's All Wool Suits in worsteds and cheviots, that sold earlier at $8.00 and $10,
Stock Clearing Sale Price **$6.50**

Men's All Wool Suits in cheviots and cassimeres, that sold earlier at $7.00 and $8.00,
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Men's Single Breasted Suits in cassimeres and cheviots, that sold earlier at $6.00 and $6.50,
Stock Clearing Sale Price **$4.95**

Men's Single Breasted Suits, in cheviots and cassimeres that sold earlier at $5.00 and $6.00,
Stock Clearing Sale Price **$3.95**

Men's Worsted and Cheviot Pants that sold earlier at $3.00 and $3.50,
Stock Clearing Sale Price **$2.00**

GIRL DROWNED

This May be a Cas of Suicide

SPRINGFIELD, Aug. 4—Whether Miss Della Simons committed suicide or was accidentally drowned in the Connecticut River is a matter on which there was divided opinion yesterday.

Miss Simons lived at 17 Pine street, Holyoke, and came to Springfield Wednesday evening with her cousin, Miss Catherine Steiger of 11 Pine street, Holyoke. In company with William Fahling and Cecil Spalding of this city, whom they met by appointment, they went boating on the river.

Near the South End bridge Miss Simons fell or jumped overboard and was drowned. The drowning occurred about 11 p. m. and search was begun for the body early yesterday morning. It was recovered by the police soon after daylight.

The drowning is surrounded by unusual circumstances. Before leaving home Wednesday evening Miss Simons said to her mother: "It will be the last time you will have to listen this dress." On the way to Springfield she handed her ring and pocketbook to Miss Steiger with the remark, "Keep it for me. I may never want it again."

Miss Simons and Fahling were in one boat and Miss Steiger and Spalding in another. The boats were in close proximity to each other, the four young people talking back [illegible] forth. Miss Simons said to [illegible] "If I jumped overboard would [illegible] me?" Fahling, supposing the [illegible] to be made in jest, replied in the [illegible] Suddenly there was a [illegible] Miss Simons had disappeared.

Fahling caught [illegible] her sinking form and plunged [illegible] river after her. His efforts [illegible] and the party notified [illegible] of the occurrence. The [illegible] and women had known one [illegible] for several months. The [illegible] to doubt the [illegible] suicide pandons.

Miss Simons who [illegible] years old, was employed in a [illegible] establishment in Holyoke.

EQUITABLE LIFE

Morton Wants to Know Value of Property

NEW YORK, Aug. 4—Two experts have been appointed by Prec. Paul Morton to value every piece of real estate in which the Equitable Life Assurance society has an interest, says the Tribune today. He is stated to have taken this action yesterday when he received the reports of expert accountants. These reports, it is alleged, indicate the possibility of extensive over valuation.

The society owns in this country and abroad real estate valued at approximately $46,000,000. According to the Tribune it is thought possible that this amount will have to be reduced while the valuation of parcels on which loans are outstanding may have to be reduced by at least ten per cent. The last annual report to the state department gave the value of real estate owned by the society at $36,935,647.

Of this sum buildings occupied by the society in New York, Boston, St. Louis, Des Moines, Denver, Memphis and in Paris, France, Madrid, Spain, Vienna, Austria, Berlin, Prussia, Bantiago, Chile, City of Mexico; Sydney, N. S. Wales and Melbourne, Australia are stated to be worth $21,373,150, while buildings in N. Y. city, Jersey City, Milford, N. Y., East Orange, Pleasantown, Bayonne and Bergen Point, N. J., are valued at over $5,000,000.

SURRENDERED

Russian Garrison at Sakhalin Givos Up

TOKIO, Aug. 4,—Noon.—A report giving details of the final pursuit and surrender of the majority of the Russian garrison on Sakhalin Island has been received as follows:

"An independent cavalry column on the afternoon of July 28, attacked the enemy south of Paleo and routed him, driving him southward, capturing two field guns, besides a number of rifles and a quantity of ammunition.

"On July 29, the cavalry being reinforced, vigorously pursued the enemy south of Taylan, which lies 25 miles south of Rykoff. The enemy halted at Onol, 25 miles south Taylan ,and at 5 o'clock on the morning of July 30, sent a letter under a flag of truce to the Japanese commanding officer from Gen. Liapnoff, the Russian governor, saying that the lack of bandage material and medicines and the consequent inability to succor the wounded, compelled him, from a sense of humanity, to terminate hostilities.

"The commander of the Japanese forces replied, demanding the delivery of all war supplies and property of the Russian government, the uninjured, and the delivery of all maps, records and papers relating to the Russian civil and military administration and requiring their delivery at 10 o'clock on the morning of July 31, otherwise an attacking movement would immediately be started.

"Col. Tolivitch, on behalf of Governor Liapnoff, met Col. Kolzumi, the Japanese chief of staff, on the morning of July 31, and accepted the proposed terms.

Gov. Liapnoff, 70 officers and 3200 men of the Russian garrison then surrendered. The spoils, consisting of clothing, papers and military supplies, are now under investigation."

CARD OF THANKS.

The undersigned hereby extend their sincere thanks to the friends who so liberally contributed flowers at the funeral of our son, Ralph, and to all others whose sympathy and assistance were otherwise so kindly expressed in this, our time of bereavement.

MR. AND MRS. AMASA A. BROWN.

After Stock-Taking Prices

—AT THE—

MERRIMACK

With the completion of Inventory, the Merrimack inaugurates a sale of all Spring and Summer Wearables. Everything in clothes for men, women and boys is treated to a generous cut from regular prices—on the broken lines and odds and ends the prices have been made so low as to ensure a speedy sale. After a most successful season, we feel that our customers are entitled to a share of the profits. Here's how we distribute them:

Men's Dept.

Men's and Youths' Suits, in fancy worsted, cassimere or blue serge. Also Outing Suits in serge, fancy worsted and homespun.
$15.00 for the $18, $20 and $22 grades.
$11.50 for the $15 and $18 grades.
$10.00 for the $12, $15 and $18 grades.
$7.50 for the $10, $12 and $15 grades.
At $5.00 Outing Suits that were $7.50, $9 and $10.

Men's and Youths' Trousers, in regular or outing styles—fancy worsted, cheviots and wool crash.
$3.75 for the $5 and $6 grades.
$3.00 for the $4 grades.
$2.35 for the $3 and $3.50 grades.
$1.65 for the $2 and $2.50 grades.

Men's Rain Coats $17.50, were $20, $22, $23 and $25.
Men's Fancy Wash Vests 85c, were $1.50 and $2.
Men's Odd Vests (small sizes), 50c, were $1.50 and $2.
Men's Fine Negligee Shirts 85c, were $1 and $1.50.
Men's Straw Hats 50c, were $1 and $1.50.
Men's Jersey Ribbed Underwear 29c, were 50c.

Boys' Dept.

Boys' Two-Piece Suits $1.95, $2.35, $3.75, reduced from $2.50, $3, $4, $5 and $6.

Wash Suits, Russian or Sailor Styles, 65c, 79c, $1.15, $1.50, reduced from $1, $1.50, $2.

Wash Blouse Waists, K. & E. Make, 50c and $1.00, reduced from 75c, $1, $1.50 and $2.

Special—Boys' Outing Suits and Three-Piece Suits, in Odd Lots, $1.95, were $5 to $10.

Women's Dept.

Tailored Suits, in taffeta, silk, Panama, voile, serge, broadcloth and mixtures.
$19.75 for the $27.50, $30, $32.50 and $35 grades.
$14.75 for the $22.50, $25 and $27.50 grades.
$12.50 for the $18.50 and $20 grades.
$9.75 for odd suits that sold up to $27.50.
$4.95 for odd suits that sold up to $20.

Shirt Waist Suits, in Silk and Mohair.
$14.75 for the $20, $22.50, $25 grades.
$9.75 for the $15, $18.00 grades.
Special at $3.95—Mohair suits that were $6.95

Shirt Waist Suits of linen, lawn or chambray, reduced to **$1.95, $3.95, $5 and $6.95.**

Rain Coats, in tan, Oxford and olive shades, of cravenetted materials; also fancy worsteds.
$14.75 for the $20, $22.50 and $25 grades.
$12.50 for the $18.50 and $20 grades.
$9.75 for garments that sold up to $18.00.

Women's Skirts in voile, Panama, serge, cheviot, broadcloth and mixtures.
Reduced to $1.95, $3.95, $5, $5.95, $7.50
Formerly priced at $2.50 to $12.50.
Special at $3.95—Skirts that sold as high as $10.

Women's Dainty Waists for street or evening wear, in silk, crepe de chine, lace or linen.
Reduced to $1.95, $2.95, $3.95, $5, $6.95
Formerly priced at $3 to $12.50.
Special at 95c—Lawn and Muslin Waists that sold up to $3.

Women's Silk Petticoats $3.95 and $6.95, were $5, $7.50 and $10.
Muslin Underwear and Hosiery at Half Price.

This is an unusual opportunity for vacationists to provide for their needs. We recommend an early inspection as many of the best trades are in small lots that won't last long.

The Merrimack Clothing Company

ACROSS FROM CITY HALL

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV. From Middlesex St.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
5.40	6.50	6.00	7.04
6.28	7.40	6.30	7.30
6.39	7.50	7.00	8.04
6.47	7.53	8.15	8.59
7.01	8.00	9.00	9.47
7.21	8.03	9.30	9.57
7.31	8.50	10.00	10.57
7.45	8.53	10.17	11.23
7.52	8.55	11.30	12.47
8.37	9.49	12.00	12.54
9.33	10.18	1.00	1.37
11.07	12.02	1.15	1.54
11.13	12.23	2.00	2.41
12.44	1.00	3.00	3.37
1.56	2.50	3.30	4.05
2.55	3.45	3.47	5.05
3.47	4.31	4.11	5.39
4.02	4.45	5.00	5.37
4.28	5.30	5.35	6.25
5.21	6.13	5.47	7.24
5.49	7.00	6.14	7.35
6.12	6.55	7.30	8.02
7.31	8.15	8.30	9.05
8.39	9.31	10.30	11.25
		11.20	12.21

WESTERN DIV. From Middlesex St.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.30	7.35	7.30	8.31
8.00	8.54	9.25	10.38
9.25	10.31	10.50	11.40
10.55	12.00	11.50	1.05
12.05	1.21	2.15	3.15
12.47	1.51	3.35	4.53
2.25	3.22	4.50	5.50
3.15	4.01	6.05	7.07
5.25	5.40	6.35	7.45
5.05	6.46	9.40	10.55
6.15	7.10	*11.15	12.11
7.40	8.00		
8.50	10.25		

* Runs to Lowell Wednesdays and Saturdays only.

SUNDAY TRAINS

WESTERN DIVISION

8.15	9.25	8.00	9.18
12.10	1.13	12.00	1.05
3.35	4.30	3.05	6.09
5.20	6.30	5.40	7.45
7.45	8.42		

SOUTHERN DIVISION

6.33	7.30	9.00	10.00
7.21	8.05	10.00	10.37
8.18	9.40	11.33	12.05
9.36	10.15	1.00	1.57
2.25	3.27	3.00	5.38
5.13	6.01	7.35	8.08
6.15	6.55	8.30	9.08
7.31	8.13	9.00	10.02
		10.15	11.18

LOCAL NEWS

Tobin's Printing--Associate Bldg. Tel.

Maker's picture sale now going on

J. J. Cluin Co., expert watch repairers, 19-23 Palmer street.

Hire your hacks at O'Donnell's stables. Tel. 439-4.

Match race, Mercier's rink, Friday evening.

We please others; we can please you if you give us a trial, at Corey's lunch Cafe, 43 Prescott street.

Mr. William Sullivan of Maple street and Thomas Fay of London street, are spending a two weeks' vacation at Revere beach.

Who was the Irish missionary who was the first to introduce Christianity into Scotland?

You can find out by reading the Steddard Lectures.

CARD OF THANKS.

We, the undersigned, take this means of extending our sincere thanks to all our relatives and friends who sympathized with us in the death of our beloved son and we especially thank the many friends for the beautiful floral offerings received, in particular Mr. C. E. Fowle and his employes.

MR. AND MRS. PETER BRADY.

THINK OF THIS!

Teeth extracted painlessly by Dr. Washburn, dentist, 97 Central street, corner Market.

CARD OF THANKS.

We, the undersigned, desire to convey our sincere thanks to the many kind friends who did so much to assist and console us on the death of our beloved mother. For their sympathy, their floral offerings and acts of kindness we are deeply grateful.

(Signed) THE MAGUIRE FAMILY.
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THE LATE NORMAN E. WILLIAMS.

LOST HIS LIFE

Norman E. Williams Drowned Yesterday

WHILE BATHING IN BAPTIST POND

Brother Tried Hard to Save Him

Norman E. Williams, aged 19 years, son of George H. Williams of Lincoln street, was drowned, while swimming in Bptist pond, South Chelmsford, yesterday. The body of the unfortunate man was recovered an hour after the fatality happened, and the remains were removed to this city by Undertaker Weinbeck.

Young Williams had gone into camp on Wednesday at the pond with his brother, George H. Williams, his brother-in-law, Albert J. Ryan, and the latter's wife. They had planned to remain there during the month of August.

About 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon Norman put on his bathing suit and went into the pond for a swim. He took a boat and rowed out into deep water in order to dive. He came up after his first dive struggling and crying for help and three young women who were out rowing realized that he was drowning and gave the alarm. His brother then went out into the water to save him and getting close to his drowning brother, the latter grabbed him and pulled him under. Obliged to save his own life, the brother freed himself and swam back to the shore while Norman disappeared from view.

The body was recovered an hour later and Drs. Varney of Chelmsford and Joslyn of Graniteville, who had been called in, made an examination that showed that the young man was dead.

Undertaker J. A. Weinbeck was then notified and the body was taken to Lowell. The deceased had a wide circle of friends who were shocked at his tragic death. He was identified with the Blossom street church and will be deeply mourned there. For three years he was employed at the market of E. L. Wiggin, in Westford street, but about a year ago entered the employ of John H. Pray Sons & Co. of Boston. He had suffered with a weak heart and it is probable that he was stricken with one of his spells as he dove.

Match race, Mercier's rink, Friday evening.

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No. 7 Perfection high grade, holds 75 lbs. ice, was $18, cut to $12.00

No. 84 National high grade, holds 90 lbs. ice, was $19, cut to $12.50

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C. C. Century, No. 1, holds 75 lbs. ice, was $16, cut to $11.00

Go Carts and Carriages Cut in Same Proportion.

Bellefontaine & Co.
Cut Price Furniture Store
197 Middlesex St.

DARING ATTEMPT

To Blow Up Ship in Mid Ocean

12 CAPPED FUSES WERE FOUND

Among Coal in the Ship's Hold

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 4.—An attempt to blow up a ship in mid ocean has been reported by Captain Touze of the French ship Asnieres, which has arrived here from Swansea, England, loaded with coal. He left that port in January last and six weeks later when far out at sea a dozen capped fuses, such as are used by miners to explode charges of dynamite, were discovered in the hold of the ship among the coal. Had one of the fuses become ignited by a shock, in a part of the hold where coal gas had accumulated the ship would undoubtedly have been blown to atoms. Two or three of them had exploded but fortunately at points where there was no gas and consequently no damage was done.

The presence of the fuses among the coal was discovered only by accident.

THEY WILL MEET

BUT COUNCILMEN CANNOT ACT ON LOANS.

The common council will meet this evening but will not be able to act upon the loans that were thrown down last night. The meeting tonight will be an adjourned meeting, a continuation of last night's meeting, and no action can be taken on the motion of reconsideration made last night. It is thought that a special meeting of the common council will be called for Monday afternoon or evening.

SET FREE

SUSPECTED FIREBUG WAS ALLOWED TO GO.

WATERBURY, Conn., Aug. 4.—Clyde H. Miller, the trolley conductor who was arrested last night on suspicion that he was the person responsible for numerous fires in the tenement district of the city lately, was released in the city court today, the charge against him being nulled on motion of the prosecuting attorney. It appeared upon investigation that Miller's arrest was due to a misunderstanding and that he is innocent.

OVERSEER DUFF

HAD HIS ARM BROKEN IN FALLING.

Overseer of the Poor John J. Duff met with a painful accident the day before yesterday which will necessitate his being confined to the house for some time.

He with two of his children had gone to McManus' outing at Mountain Rock during the afternoon. Meeting a friend Mr. Duff stepped out of the wagon and was engaged in conversation when the horse becoming impatient, started ahead.

When the horse started Mr. Duff ran towards the animal and in so doing stepped in a hole and was thrown to the ground, his entire weight coming on his right arm, which upon examination showed that one of the bones was broken.

GREGOIRE'S

Special for Saturday

Good assortment of trimmed hats for 75c, 98c, $1.48
Good assortment of white trimmed hats, regular $6 and $7 hats for $2.98
Children's trimmed hats for 98c and $1.48
Children's Rolling Sailors with band and ends, regular $1.25 and $1.48, for 50c
Untrimmed hats for ..10c, 15c and 25c
Ready-to-wear hats for 48c
Mourning hats and veils at the lowest prices.
For bargains look at show windows at Gregoire's.

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Where Shoes Are Fitted
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Comfort Are Shoes That Fit Your Feet
We have them ready for you to select when next you need some.
BUT Just now we are offering Ladies of Lowell their choice of our full line of TAN OXFORDS 50c to $1.00 PER PAIR.
Discount Friday and Saturday
The Time to Come
F. H. Pearson Co.
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FUNERALS

ROGERS--The funeral of William Rogers took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, 65 Butterfield street. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery. Undertaker J. F. Rogers had charge.

JOYAL--The funeral of Mrs. Frank Joyal took place yesterday from the rooms of Undertaker Archambault in Merrimack street. The procession proceeded to St. Jean Baptiste church where the funeral services were conducted. Rev. Fr. Boyer, O. M. I., officiated. The bearers were Leopold Gelinas, Victor Perrault, Willie Lussier and Charles Turcotte.

The committal prayers were read at the grave in St. Joseph's cemetery by Rev. Fr. Audibert, O. M. I. Undertaker Archambault had charge of the funeral arrangements.

Deeper Cuts
IN PRICES
For Friday and Saturday

A Rare Chance. Don't Miss It

Silk Suit Chance
Any suit in the store, some were $27.50. Sale price
$10

Raincoat Chance
Choice of 35 Raincoats less than cost of material. Sold to $18.75
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OTHERS
$6 Mohair Suits 2.85
$8 Lawn Suits 2.95
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Waists 25, 75, 95
Were 50, 1.25, 2.00

You have been quoted lower prices but never for same quality.

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After-Inventory Offerings for Saturday.

Regular 25c child's and misses' lisle thread vests; high neck and long or short sleeves, low neck or sleeveless. Knee pants to match. While they last 1-2 price.
12 1-2c

Regular 25c misses' and child's "Imperial dye" and "Gordon dye," fine quality ribbed lisle and lisle lace hose. Double soles, heels and toes. Also a few pairs boys' ribbed hose. While they last,
15c

Regular $2.50 stylish voile waists in all the wanted shades. Prettily made with shirred yoke and shoulders of a fine quality voile. Just the thing for these cool evenings. While they last less than 1-2 price.
$1.00

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Lowell, Friday, Aug. 4, 1905.

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The Reign of Low Prices is Launched in the Ready-to-Wear Department

DURING THE MONTH OF AUGUST ALL OUR ENERGIES WILL BE CONCENTRATED UPON CLEARING OUT, REGARDLESS OF COST, EVERY PIECE OF OUR REMAINING SPRING AND HOT WEATHER STOCKS. NOW'S THE TIME FOR THE KNIFE, AND DEEP PRICE CUTTING BECOMES NECESSARY AND LEGITIMATE. FRIDAY AND SATURDAY WILL BE DAYS THAT YOU CAN'T AFFORD TO MISS. ONLY A FEW OF THE MANY MONEY SAVING OPPORTUNITIES MENTIONED BELOW, HUNDREDS OF OTHERS JUST AS GOOD.

White Linen and P. K. Skirts
$1.98 White P. K. Skirts for 98c
$2.98 White P. K. Skirts for $1.50
$2.98 White Linen Skirts for $1.98
$3.98 White Linen Skirts for $2.98
$4.50 White Linen Skirts for $3.93

Separate Linen Coats
$3.98 White Linen Duck Tourist Coats for $2.98
$5.00 and $7.50 White Linen and Crash Tourist Coats for $3.98

White Duck and Linen Suits
$3.98 White Duck Tourist Coat Suits for $2.98
$5.75 Natural Linen, 44 inch Jacket Suits for $3.98
$7.50 White Linen Jacket and Coffee Coat Suits $3.98
$10.00 White Linen Fly Front Jacket Suits for $5.98
$12.50 White Linen, 36 and 44 inch Jacket Suits $6.98
$15.00 White Linen, 44 inch, strap seams, fitted Coat Suits for $9.98
$18.00 White Linen, fancy braid and lace applique, tan suits for $9.98

Two-Piece Tub Suits
$1.50 and $1.98 Plain Color and Figured Lawn Suits for 98c
$2.98 Chambray and Percale Suits for $1.98
$3.50 and $3.98 Chambray and Satteen Suits for $2.98
$5.75 Tan and Light Blue Poplin Suits for $3.98

Lawn Dressing Sacques and Kimonas
50c Light and Dark Colored Lawn Sacques for 29c
$1.50 White Lawn fancy braid trimmed Sacques 98c
$1.98 White Lawn Hamburg Trimmed Kimonas $1.48

Mercerized and Taffeta Silk Petticoats
$3.00 and $3.75 Black Mercerized McGee Yoke Petticoats for $1.50
$5.00 Black and Navy Taffeta Silk Petticoats for $2.98
East Section Second Floor.

Wash Belts
Embroidered girdle effects, fitted back, tailor made, gilt buckles, linen and pique, regular price 50 cents.
Only 38c each
West Section

Envelope Bags
Made of black patent leather, lined with black moire, with card case and purse .....Only $1 each
Also black, brown and tan walrus plate.
Right Aisle.

Hosiery for Women and Children
Ladies' Black Lace Hose, high spliced heel, were 25c, ...Only 19c a pair
Ladies' Tan Lace Hose, double soles, were 38c, ...Only 25c a pair
Ladies' All Over Tan Lace Hose, double soles, were 50c, ...Only 38c a pair
Ladies' Hose, the high colored nifty sort, were 50c and 75c ..Only 25c a pair
Children's Black Lace Hose, double soles and heels, were 38c and 50c Only 25c a pair
Ladies' White Lisle Jersey Vests, high neck, short sleeves and sleeveless, were 50c ..... Only 29c each
Ladies' White Lisle Jersey Pants, lace trimmed, were 50c....Only 29c each
West Section Left Aisle

Great Special Selling of Men's Shirts Begins This Morning
REGULAR 50c AND 75c NEGLIGEE SHIRTS
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THREE SHIRTS FOR ONE DOLLAR
All new, this season's styles, cuffs on or off, well laundered; fine corded madras, cheviots; good full sizes; handsome patterns, mostly blue grounds with black. Regular prices 50c and 75c.
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THE WEATHER
The indications are that it will be fair tonight and Saturday, light variable winds.

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"SWEET ANNIE MOORE"

Torgetta Sang It to His Neighbor

And Now He and His Wife are in Court as Common Railers and Brawlers—Parties Live in Wigginville

Some of the good people of Wigginville went without dinner today unless they fed on canned goods, for a score of women from that village were in court all morning, interested in the case of Carl and Kate Torgetta, charged with being common railers and brawlers.

The defendants pleaded not guilty and were represented by Lawyer D. J. Murphy, while D. J. Donahue appeared for the government.

The first witness was Maria Moore of 26 Epping street, and she testified that since the first of June she cannot go by the home of the Torgettas who live next door, but what they hoot at her and call her vile names.

She said that Mrs. Torgetta would shout a vile name at her every time she saw her and vilified her character. On one occasion Mrs. Torgetta ran into the house and blackening her hands ran out again and holding them up cried at witness: "That's your color: that's your character. You have the blackest character in Wigginville." On one occasion a young man was walking home with the witness and she claims the female defendant cried out that if the young man knew who she was he wouldn't notice her. Mr. Torgetta, she said, also cried at her, making an attack on her mother's character.

"Last winter," said witness, "Mr. Torgetta had a phonograph and he had the song "Annie Moore" on it and he used to place it in the widow when I went by. Once he took the horn of the phonograph and sang the song through it at her at the top of his voice.

On cross examination Mr. Murphy said: "You used to ride a bicycle on the Torgetta's sidewalk didn't you?"

"I haven't rode a bicycle for four years and I had no trouble with them over it."

"What was the harm in singing "Sweet Annie Moore?"

"It was my mother's name and I objected to him singing it to me."

"Did you ever object to it being sung in the theatres?"

"No."

"Did Mrs. Torgetta ever say anything to you that you haven't testified to?"

"She once told me that I was after her husband."

Joseph D. Dillon who lives in the neighborhood said that he had tried not to hear what was said by theTorgettas as he did not want to get mixed up in the case. One one occasion he heard Mrs. Torgetta call the whole family a name reflecting upon their parentage. He said that Mrs. Torgetta was scolding and arguing with some one nearly every day in the week and his wife had become very nervous over the actions of the Torgettas. He had seen her going into the home of the Torgettas frequently.

On cross-examination Mr. Dillon said that he had a little dispute with Mr. Torgetta bore him no spite.

He also admitted that he was the complainant in the case and had asked the witnesses to appear.

"What did the Moore's say when you heard Mrs. Torgetta attacked their character?"

"Maria said 'Fudge'!"

"Your children broke some windows in Mr. Torgetta's house?"

"No, they did not."

"Will you swear that Mr. Torgetta didn't call you over and tell you about the glass being broken?"

"I'll swear that he's perjuring himself if he says that," responded Dillon.

"Well, don't swear to that," said the court.

ANNIE MOORE TESTIFIES.

Mrs. Annie Moore, mother of Maria Moore, the first witness was then called and she testified: "On January 20 I was on my steps and she came out with her baby and placed her thumb to the baby's nose and held it up at me. Then she attacked my character and my birth. On another occasion she compelled her children to plague me. Mrs. Torgetta called me a pauper and said I came over to this country with poor house clothes on me."

Mrs. Moore also testified to statements and vile names called by Mrs. Torgetta to Mrs. Dillon.

On cross examination Mrs. Moore testified that she was friends with Mrs. Torgetta until about a year ago when Mrs. Torgetta told a 13-year-old newsboy to keep away from her daughter Maria, as her character was bad.

"The Torgetta children made a hopscotch on your sidewalk and you objected, didn't you?"

"No. I objected to them digging holes in the sidewalk and hanging on my gate."

"You sent the selectmen to the Torgettas?"

"No, I wrote a letter about the children."

"You sent the board of health to them, didn't you?"

"I did and I would again," said Mrs. Moore. "I couldn't stand the smell."

"You were generally in the house when these troubles occurred, weren't you?"

"I always run to the door when I hear a noise."

Mr. Andrew Moore, father of the Moore family, testified: "I can't go into my yard but what they throw taunts and slurs at me, trying to get me fighting, but I let on not to hear them. I have heard both of them call my daughter a vile name and heard him call Mrs. Dillon a vile name and tell her he would kill her daughter. I have had to go to the gate with my daughter to protect her."

He was briefly cross examined by Lawyer Murphy.

Mrs. Nellie Dillon, wife of Joseph Dillon, testified to the bad names that the Torgettas had called her and the Moore girl. Mr. Torgetta said to Mr. Dillon's little boy: "I'll break your —— neck."

Another time her little girl knocked down the Togetta girl and the eldest Togetta girl came out with a stick and chase dthe witness' little girl. Witness cried out: "Don't you hit that little girl," whereupon Mrs. Torgetta cried out: "Yes, knock her —— —— brains out." Then again witness saw Mrs. Torgetta give his little girl a rock and tell her to kill witness' little boy with it.

On cross examination Lawyer Murphy brought out the fact that the children in both families have had many fights.

Mrs. Katie Hudson, another neighbor, testified that last Sunday the Torgetta and Dillon children were throwing stones at each other. Then Torgetta threw open the window and cried to his little girl to kill the Dillon boy. On another occasion Mrs. Torgetta challenged her to a fight and called her a — gypsy.

"I never had any trouble with her all," said Mrs. Hudson, "but her child was drowned in my rain barrel and I think she holds some hatred against me on that account."

On cross examination Mrs. Hudson received a letter from Mrs. Torgetta and upon receiving it placed it on a broom and stuck it up in a tree so that Mrs. Torgetta could see that she got it. A considerable portion of Mrs. Hudson's testimony was unfit for publication.

This concluded the government's case and Lawyer Murphy moved that the complaints be dismissed on the ground that the government had not shown them to be railers and brawlers. "It is only a growl between women and they have a right to growl provided they don't disturb outsiders."

Judge Fisher overruled the motion.

Twelve witnesses for the defence were then sworn after which court adjourned until 2 o'clock.

THE DEFENSE TESTIFIES.

At the opening of the afternoon session the first defendant Carl Torgetta of 24 Epping street, employed at the Bay State mills was put on the witness stand. In response to Lawyer Murphy's questions the witness said: "I had no trouble with the Moore family and I never called any of the Moores or Dillons or any of the witnesses any vile names, nor did I ever cry out or yell at any of them from my door or window. The children of Mrs. Hudson assaulted my children several times and I had pleaded with Mr. Hudson to make them stop. Finally I spoke to Mrs. Hudson and told her to stop them and the next time they did it I complained to you (Lawyer Murphy.) After you sent out the letters to them I had no further trouble until Mr. Hudson returned from Europe. Then my children were assaulted again and I complained to Chief Manley and Selectman Catherwood. On one occasion when they knocked down my little girl I might have cried out at them. But I never said vile names to the Hudsons.

"Three weeks ago young Joe Dillon struck my little Freddie several times and I cried out: "I'll break your neck of you do that again." Mrs. Dillon heard me and cried out: 'I'd like to see you do it.'

"I said: 'Now, Mrs. Dillon, you just keep your children's hands off mine'."

"'You're a dirty black Italian,' cried Mrs. Dillon."

"'And what are you?' I answered."

"'I'm an American,' she cried."

"'American from Ireland?' I said and she shut up.

"Last Sunday," continued the witness, "I saw my little girl lying helpless on the ground and knowing it to be a put-up job I cried out: 'Oh, what a dirty mean pack they are around here. I never saw such neighbors,' but I never called her or her husband any vile names. I had a dispute with Mr. Dillon over some hens and I think he holds it against me but I never called him any harsh names. My wife never uses improper language."

In regard to the singing of "Sweet Annie Moore," the witness said: "I own a phonograph and that song is one of the records. I play it along with the others. I never sang the song through the megaphone.

"When Grandmother Moore saw the witness' children on the sidewalk one day she took a sprinkler and sprinkled water all over the children. When she found that she couldn't frighten the children she brought out the whole family, and Mr. Moore said he would push me as far as he could if my children didn't keep off the sidewalk. I told him that the sidewalk belonged to the town.

"Then Maria Moore yelled out to me, 'Do you like sauerkraut?' and I replied, 'Yes, I like sauerkraut.'"

The defendant admitted that he told Mrs. Dillon to get into the henroop.

"What did you mean by that expression?" asked Lawyer Murphy.

"Well, some people would tell her to go to h——, but I wanted to use a little better expression."

Lawyer Donahue, in cross-examination, went at the witness hammer and tongs, and had him rattled in a twinkling. Torgetta was quite nervous on the stand and he claimed that his knowledge of English was uncertain.

Torgetta insisted on arguing with Lawyer Donahue and answering his questions by putting questions himself, until held up by the court. But Forgetta couldn't resist the temptation to ask questions and argue until even his counsel warned him.

PLACED ON PROBATION.

Edward R. Clement, the young man who stole tools from Doherty Bros.' foundry pleaded guilty on 10 counts of larceny and as all the goods were recovered he was placed on probation.

Ida M. Pease and Annie Evans, the two young girls who were arrested in Webster were brought home last night by Inspector Maher. They had just 25 cents left out of $26 which the Pease girl took from her brother. The Evans girl was released as her folks would make no complaint. The Pease girl pleaded guilty and Miss Bennett of the Y. W. C. A. took an interest in her. She was placed on probation and will be sent to a home for girls.

MORTIMER FINED $20.

Lewis H. Mortimer, the young man employed by D. Whiting & Sons, milk dealers, who was arrested on the milk train, yesterday pleaded guilty of larceny of two quarts of milk. Lawyer Cusick of Boston appeared for the government and after explaining Mortimer's method of purloining the milk stated that he did not blame Mortimer as much as he did the confederate whom the police expect to arrest later. Mortimer was fined $20.

COUTU SENTENCED.

Alfred Coutu, who with a man named Proulx robbed a small store in Market street a few days ago pleaded guilty and was sentenced to the Massachusetts reformatory though the sentence was suspended.

ONLY FEW DRUNKS.

Judge Fisher occupied the bench in police court this morning and being juvenile day the session was a long one. Three cases of drunkenness were released. Patrick Bradley, received the state farm but the sentence was suspended, Maud Geelan got 30 days in jail.

COALS OF FIRE.

Thomas Heffren was arrested on complaint of his wife Kate for drunkenness and assault and battery. The wife testified that Thomas came home in fighting mood last night and threw everything on the table. Thomas didn't remember the occurrence and so couldn't deny it. He was found guilty and was fined $2 for drunkenness while in the assault case he was given one month in jail suspended. The wife promptly went into her pocket and produced the price of her husband's fine.

DR. MEIGS

HAS NOT SIGNED DEATH RETURN OF MAN WHO WAS KILLED.

Assistant Medical Examiner Meigs today viewed the remains of the man killed at Lakeview last night but did not sign the death return, stating to Mr. O'Donnell that the case would have to be investigated more fully before he would pass his opinion on it.

All during the day many people, mostly curiosity seekers, entered the morgue and viewed the remains.

A further examination of the unfortunate man's clothing today brought forth 75 cents in change, and a silver watch with a gold chain.

Mrs. Morris Lemkin of this city who was brought home from Old Orchard beach last week where she became ill, is on the road to recovery.

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BUILDING NOTES

Work Being Pushed Rapidly Ahead

VERY ARTISTIC WORK BEING DONE

On the New St. Patrick's Church

Building operations have been quite brisk during the past week. There is not much new work with the exception of a few houses, but the work in hand is being pushed rapidly ahead.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH.

The work of rebuilding St. Patrick's church, which was destroyed by fire a year ago last January, is progressing rapidly, and while the greater part of the exterior work is finished the interior is fast assuming its beauty. Contractor Patrick O'Hearn has finished dressing the granite on the exterior of the building, and while the greater part of the stone work was badly churred and blackened by the fire, the redressing of the stone makes it appear as good as new. The men are now engaged in relaying the stone steps and both side entrances are practically completed. As soon as the side steps are completed the steps to the main door will be laid, after which the side entrance near the convent of the Sisters of Notre Dame will be attended to.

The work on the interior of the church is progressing rapidly under the careful guidance of Mr. Nelson Sanford, of the firm of Driscoll, Sanford & Goodwin, plain and ornamental plasterers and cement workers of South Boston. Mr. Sanford's firm has the contract for the cement, plastering and stucco work on the interior of the church, and after the workmen have completed their work the interior of the church will be more beautiful than that of any church in this city or vicinity.

The work of fancy plastering and stucco work in the interior of the church has often been a puzzle and wonder to many people. Many people are of the opinion that the different designs about the arches, pillars, windows and corners are made at a factory, sent to this city and then put together, but such is not the case, for the only material that the men who are now engaged in doing the plastering at the church have, is the plain cement and water. The raw cement is delivered at the church in barrels and all of the work from the making of the moulds to the putting of them together is done in the church by a score of competent workmen under the direction of Mr. Sanford.

Mr. Sanford gave the writer an opportunity to witness the process through which the different casts are put.

Mr. Sanford has plans drawn by architects and from these plans he makes his moulds, after which the plaster is cast, finished and fitted together.

When the plasterers arrived in April of this year, there was nothing in the interior of the church but the bare walls of stone and the iron pillars and roof. The contractors are supposed to transform this rough and dismal interior into one of beauty and design.

The first work was the laying of the galvanized clinton lathing on the rough work, after which the place was roughly plastered. Then came the difficult as well as the artistic part of beautifying the place, such as the smooth plastering on the sides and ceiling, the making of scrolls and artistic capitals about the columns, the perfect shafting or plastering of columns, the graceful arches with the different designs at the peaks and bottom, the crobelling, fancy ceiling work and many other different designs.

The work is interesting and the men engaged in it should be proud of what they have done thus far. At the present time a great deal of the work has been completed and the contractors intend to finish their work by the end of September. All the rough work has been done and the men are now engaged in finishing up the fancy scroll and design work. The ceilings and arches, when completed, will be handsome beyond description, while the front of the choir gallery will be beautifully designed, and the underneath part of the gallery will be tiled.

The plastering in the vestry has been completed, the ceiling being tiled in an artistic manner, while the sides have been sand-finished and are now ready for the painters.

The workmen are now at work finishing the sides of the church in what is known as sand-finish, and they will then be ready for the hands of the painters.

The contractors having the work in charge also have the contract for making the frames for the stations about the church, and Mr. Sanford informed the reporter that a person will have to go miles from here to witness better stations or frames for the stations than will be found in St. Patrick's church when completed.

The ceiling over the sanctuary is to be specially designed, as are the ceilings over the different sides altars.

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RUSSIAN ENVOYS

Are Guests of the President

OYSTER BAY, L. I., Aug. 4.—Sergius Witte and Baron Rosen, the envoys of the emperor of Russia to the peace conference, arrived today of the President and Mrs. Roosevelt at Sagamore Hill. They arrived in Oyster Bay via the Long Island railroad at 12.30 p. m. They were unaccompanied by any other Russian officials. As the envoys left the train they were met by confidential messengers from the president's official household and escorted to one of the president's carriages sent to the station to convey them to Sagamore Hill. A considerable crowd of village residents had assembled at the station to see the distinguished visitors.

Assurance was given here that the visit does not differ in any material respect to that of Baron Komimura and Minister Takahira of Japan last week. Before the formal reception of the envoys, M. Witte desired to pay his respects informally to President Roosevelt.

It was said officially also that no statement concerning the conference between the president and M. Witte would be made either by the envoys or by the president.

FUNERALS

HARNDEN—The funeral of the late Mrs. Ellen Harnden took place this morning from her home, 119 Pleasant street, and was largely attended by sorrowing friends and relatives. The cortege proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church where at 9 o'clock a mass of requiem was celebrated, Rev. Fr. Fitzpatrick, O. M. I., officiating. The choir, under the direction of Mr. P. P. Haggerty, sang the Gregorian mass, and during services appropriate selections were rendered by members of the choir, Mrs. Haggerty presiding at the organ. The bearers were Jeremiah Harrington, James Riley, Stephen Garrity, Thomas Davis, Michael Connors and John Harrington. At the grave Rev. Fr. Fitzpatrick conducted the final obsequies and the burial was in the Catholic cemetery in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

HORMAN—The funeral of the late Mrs. Catherine Horman took place this morning from her home in Collinsville, Dracut, and was largely attended. The bearers were Harry, Thomas, Charles and Augustine Horman, Frank Cullinan and Charles Roughan. There was a profusion of beautiful floral tributes, among them being: Large pillow inscribed "Wife," from the husband; large vacant chair inscribed "Mother," from sons and daughters; large wreath inscribed "Sister," from Miss Roughan; cross and crown on base, surmounted by white dove and inscribed "Nanna," from grandchildren, Anthony and Mary Cullinan; crescent and star on base, from her grandchildren, Mary and Anthony Horan; basket ferns, grandchildren Mary and Catherine Horman; standing cross on base, from Mr. and Mrs. Kiernan and Mrs. Cullinan; large cross inscribed "Our Friend," from the Fogarty family; cross, from Mr. and Mrs. Silk; wreath, from Miss Margaret Lynch; wreath, from Michael Kennedy and family, mound, from Mr. Nolan and family; sheaf of wheat, from Mr. and Mrs. Laffey; spray, from Mrs. Laffey; spray, from William J. Collins, and a spray, from Mrs. Schilobona, and large harp from Mr. Guthrie and family of Malden.

The remains were sent to Collinsville, Conn., and taken to St. Patrick's church, that city, where they will remain Friday night and Saturday morning a mass of requiem will be celebrated at 9 o'clock, and at the conclusion interment will be made in St. Patrick's cemetery, Collinsville. In charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

EASLEY DEAD

HE WAS SHOT BY A POLICE OFFICER.

RICHMOND, Va., Aug. 4—At South Boston, Halifax county last night, Policeman Joseph Carter shot Henry Easley, Jr., son of Col. Henry Easley of the governor's staff. The shooting followed an altercation. Easley died in a few hours.

CALLED OFF

NO RACES BECAUSE POOL SELLING WAS STOPPED.

AKRON, O., Aug. 4—The races of the Akron Racing association, scheduled for August 29, 30 and 31, have been called off by the directors as a result of the announcement by Sheriff Barker and Prosecutor Hagelbarger that the sale of pools will not be permitted.

CHILD KILLED

LITTLE CHAP RUN OVER BY AN AUTO.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4—Louis Schultz, 5 years old, son of Morris Shultz, a tailor, was trotting behind a big truck yesterday afternoon in front of his home at 230 East Twenty-fourth street. An electric runabout was going east along the street in the opposite direction from the truck, and Louis didn't see it. He darted from behind the truck squarely in front of the automobile, which was running slowly. Frank Simmons, the driver, hadn't seen Louis because of the truck. He tried to stop the machine, but it was on top of the child before he got the brake on.

In the runabout were William L. Walker, his wife and William C. Rader of 1122 Broadway. Mr. Walker jumped out to try to catch the boy, but he hadn't time. Mrs. Schultz ran down stairs and into the street and saw her child lying with a wheel of the automobile across his breast.

Simmons got the machine stopped just after a front wheel had run over the boy. He reversed it and the wheel went backward and stopped on Louis' breast. He was dead when they pushed the automobile clear.

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EXTRA

ENGINEER'S BRAVERY

Saved Passengers From a Horrible Death

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—Engineer Wm. Mooney rolled with his engine down a steep embankment at Bayonne, N. J., today into Newark bay and was drowned. The engine plunged out of sight into deep water.

A crowded excursion train on the Central railroad of New Jersey was left marooned and with passengers panic stricken on a trestle above the bay, saved from the same fatal dive only by the breaking of the coupling pin and the bravery of the lost engineer, who went to his death while in the act of setting the emergency brakes. The train was running from Atlantic City and had just passed over a bridge at moderate speed when the engine ran into an open switch and was derailed along with the tender and two baggage cars. At this point the rails are laid on a steep embankment which forms the bridge approach, and the engine and tender toppled over the embankment. The coupling pin between the tender and the first car snapped, leaving the coaches, which fortunately stopped on the embankment. The fireman saved himself by jumping.

MAN WAS KILLED

Row Started Over a Dollar Loan

NEW YORK, Aug. 4—Matt Conliff, who lives at 15 Bowery, in a lodging house, met Thomas Connecly of the same address last night in Tenth avenue, and Connecly asked Conliff to have a glass of ale. They went into Gaher's saloon, on the southwest corner of Tenth avenue and Twentieth street.

While they were at the bar a tall man with a black mustache asked Conliff to pay him back a dollar which he said he lent Conliff a year ago. Conliff laughed at him, and the tall man hit Conliff in the jaw, flooring him.

Then, according to Connecly, the tall man kicked Conliff around the barroom until the barkeeper and the bouncer stopped the row. The tall man turned to Connecly, the latter told the police, and hit him under the left eye. Connecly, his face cut and swollen, sprinted for the West Twentieth street station.

Meanwhile Policeman Cooney, on his beat, saw a big crowd in front of Gaher's. When he got there he found Conliff dead, lying in the street across from the saloon. The tall man had disappeared. Conliff's head and face were terribly beaten and there were many bruises on his body.

Capt. Daly of the West Twentieth street station held Connecly as a witness. Connecly said he was sure he didn't know who Conliff's assailant was, but he was sure he could identify him. The crowd into the saloon scattered immediately after the murder, and the police couldn't learn anything there.

HYDE'S SALARY

Was Held Up by Officials

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—Secretary Wilson has determined not to take his annual vacation during the progress of the investigation he is conducting in the department of agriculture. He had intended to leave Washington Aug. 1 to accompany Chief Forester Gifford Pinchot on a tour of the western forest reserves. This work will now be left to Mr. Pinchot.

"If any person has any reason to suspect the integrity of any of my employes, now is the time for him to speak," said the secretary today. "I am in the inspecting business now and want to get at the bottom of any rumors or facts that may be brought to the department. I will bring the search-light to bear on any employes whose actions may be the subject of the suspicions of outsiders. Let them bring on their hints of wrong doing and we will find out whether there is foundation for them. Why, a few days ago, I solved two in one day. The weather bureau and the bureau of animal industry were said to hold scandals. I believed then there was no foundation for the charges, but I had also believed that Holmes, the former associate statistician, was not guilty of wrong doing. I was in error in regard to Holmes so I accepted the charges against the bureaus mentioned as a basis for investigation. I found the charges were without foundation."

Mrs. John Hyde, wife of the former chief of the bureau of statistics, who is now in Europe, today tried to collect the salary due her husband. She was told that the bureau was under investigation by the department of justice and the amount due her husband would have to be withheld until this investigation had been concluded. No word has been received from Hyde since his cablegram to Secretary Wilson saying he would return from Europe "as soon as possible." Mrs. Hyde has learned that her husband is suffering from new carbuncles. He had trouble of this character when he left the United States. The department of justice has cabled him not to lose time unnecessarily in returning to Washington.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

SUIT IS SETTLED

Sum of $3,000,000 Was Involved

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 4—Counsel for George R. Robinson the plaintiff in the $3,000,000 damage suit against Edward Holbrook, today announced that an amicable settlement out of court had been arrived at. The terms of settlement were not made public, but it was stated that they were satisfactory to both parties to the controversy. Mr. Holbrook and Mr. Robinson are the president and vice president of the Gorham Mfg. Co. of this city and the suit came of the alleged violation of a contract by Mr. Holbrook by the terms of which he was to deliver 15,525 shares of the company's stock to Mr. Robinson and also to tender the resignations of himself and his son as officers of the company. The amount named in the suit was supposed to cover the value of the stock plus the damage Mr. Robinson claimed to have suffered in his failure to obtain control of the stock, which would have given him virtual control of the company. The court proceedings will be discontinued.

JAPS ADVANCING

Two Columns Checked by Russians

GOZYADANI, Manchuria, Aug. 4.—Despatches received from Korea report that the Japanese have begun a simultaneous advance from Kuanchodert against the Musarlet and Platsubang passes, but that both columns were checked under pressure of the Russian advance detachments. The Russian losses, the despatches say, were insignificant.

Japanese warships are reported to be cruising off the mouth of Peter the Great Bay, on which Vladivostok is situated, their lights often being visible from Russian Island. Chinese say that the Japanese are most active in establishing trade relations in Southern Manchuria, that over a score of large business houses have been established at Yinkow and that five thousand Japanese Sutlers and larger traders follow close on the heels of the army.

BOY ROBBERS

HAD PLANNED TO COMMIT MURDER.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—Albert Heintz, 14 years old, of 447 West Forty-seventh street, New York; Ernst Steiner, 14 years old, of 415 Union street, Union Hill, and Louis Podlison, 15 years old, of 646 Lewis street, Union Hill, were arrested there yesterday for attempting to break into Anton Kuenzlis's shoe store at 819 Union street. Heintz was nabbed while running away and was so badly scared that he "peached" on the rest of the gang.

The police say some of the members are still at large. According to Capt. Knight young Heinz confessed to him that the gang had planned to kill the shoemaker if he offered any resistance. The boys, it is said, have been in the habit of sleeping out at night around smudge fires among the rocks along the Palisades. They are credited by the police with being responsible for several petty robberies.

PLEASANT SURPRISE PARTY.

Miss Louise Parsons, a popular young lady of New York and also of this city was pleasantly surprised at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Hardy of 59 Cambridge st. Mr. George Dennett in behalf of those present presented Miss Parsons with a handsome gold chain and locket. A musical program was presented including piano selections by Misses Anna Scannell, Louise Parsons, Elizabeth Shaughnessy, Daniel Gleason and Roy Coram; vocal selections, Misses Etta Thompson, Elizabeth Scannell and Gertrude Thompson; quartet, Mr. George Dennett, Eugene Knowlton, Albert Smith and Edmund Lord; recitation, William Gerow and Donald McAulay. Misses Elizabeth Scannell and Gertrude Thompson received. The guests departed at a late hour wishing their hostess many happy returns of her visit to this city.

EXCITING TIME

Cochrian Children Left Town Farm

WERE FOUND ON ISLAND

Had Planned to Swim the Stream

AMESBURY, Aug. 4—The three Cochrain children, Margaret, Barbara and John, H. 9 and 7 years respectively, who escaped from the home for Little Wanderers in Boston Wednesday, have had an exciting time since reaching here at the expense of the Boston police.

Upon the arrival of the train at 5 Wednesday afternoon the children lost no time at the station, knowing that an officer was on duty there. While Conductor Pease was making known to Patrolman O'Neil that he had three children who had been placed in his care by the Boston officers, the runaways were improving their time by making for their home, not a great distance away.

John Cochrain, father of the children, was there to meet them, and having been somewhat opposed to having his home broken up by the sending away of his children, he hastily greeted them and at once placed them aboard the 5.20 Hampton car, with instructions for them to go to a relative's house at Hampton Falls.

The children upon arriving at their destination were not wanted, and after having been given supper, were returned to Amesbury, arriving here at 9 Thursday night, the police finding them some two hours later upon the street crying, as they could not gain entrance to their home.

Just before midnight the little ones were all taken to the town farm, some two miles distant, where they had been kept previously several days during the disposition of their case. Yesterday morning, after eating a scanty breakfast, the trio were next noticed by Supt. Hooper of the farm making across the fields in the direction of the Whitehall read, nearly a mile away. Word was telephoned to the police station to head the children off as they came into town, while the superintendent gave chase. After a diligent search they were found upon a small island in Powow river, just below the dam at lake Gardner.

Upon being returned to the town farm again they stated to the superintendent that the boy of seven had planned to swim the river with his nine-year-old sister upon his back. How the cheat girl was to have crossed the river they did not say. At this point the current is quite strong, as it is but a short distance below the gatehouse at the large dam. The girls when they left the home in Boston were without hats, while the little boy departed with another lad's hat. They escaped, they state, by climbing the fence.

The trio were taken back to Boston yesterday by a representative of the home.

Get Rid of Scrofula

Bunches, eruptions, inflammations, soreness of the eyelids and ears, diseases of the bones, rickets, dyspepsia, catarrh, wasting, are only some of the troubles it causes.

It is a very active evil, making havoc of the whole system.

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WOMAN CAUGHT

NEW YORK BROKERS CLOSED THEIR DOORS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4—J. H. Mansfield & Co., who have been carrying on a "brokerage" business at 41 Broadway for about half a year, suspended operations yesterday. A notice was posted on the door saying that the firm had "temporarily suspended" and that business would soon be resumed. A lawyer who has fourteen claims for sums ranging from $100 to $250 against the firm would like to know their whereabouts.

J. T. Mansfield & Co., have been doing a pretty big business of its kind and have advertised extensively in what have been called "Red Letters." These "Red Letters" contained directions for making money on the "put protection plan." The members of the firm were John T. Mansfield, president; James H. Mansfield, treasurer, and Rosetta Bressler, secretary. The firm didn't belong to any exchange.

After the firm had closed its doors yesterday nearly a hundred people, many of them women, tried to get in. The concern ran a women's department, and its business among women was said to be large.

Reno R. Billington, a lawyer of 41 Broadway, began to receive complaints against J. H. Mansfield & Co., about a month ago. Altogether fourteen people came with complaints that the firm owed them money, and he attempted to get them to pay up. Yesterday on the complaint of a customer from up the state the attorney threatened legal proceedings, and by noon the "brokerage" offices were locked up.

Mr. Billington said yesterday that a large number of his clients were from up state and had in many cases parted with all their savings. He hopes to find the Messrs. Mansfield.

In a circular which J. H. Mansfield & Co. have been freely distributing they state that "we are one of the very few houses in the financial district who can rightfully boast of the fact that not a single customer has ever lost a dollar through following our advice." This rosy description of one way of making money appears in the circular:

"Take $100 in the stock market with us under our "put" protection plan. No insurance, no rent, no clerk hire, no clerks to steal and rob you, no bad debts, no depreciation in values of stock. Your day's business is over at 3 o'clock in the afternoon and you are free to visit your friends and any place of amusement that suggests itself to you for the evening and be free of care or worry.

With $100 you can operate in 100 shares of stock with security and safety, and if you only get one point a day, you are getting $100 profit on an investment of $100, which in one year will net you $36,600 income, and you are taking no risk beyond the amount of your original investment.

KILLED BY TRAIN

Editor Was Accused of Criminal Libel

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—Robert W. Criswell, editor of a weekly publication, who was arrested recently on a charge of criminal libel, preferred by Representative Joseph T. Rhinock of the Covington, Kentucky, district, was killed last night by an express train at the Seventy-second street station of the subway.

The libel charge against Criswell grew out of the publication of an article reflecting upon Mr. Rhinock and censuring Representative Nichols Longworth of Ohio for having introduced Miss Alice Roosevelt to the Kentucky congressman during the visit of the president's daughter in Cincinnati. Criswell was arrested July 12 last, and was held in $1000 bail for trial. The accused man published an apology in a subsequent issue of the paper.

The death of Criswell last night created something of a panic in the crowded express station at Seventy-second street. Witnesses of the tragedy say the man came upon the station platform evidently in a hurry, and seemed restless while waiting for a train. A down-town express was moving into the station when Criswell was seen to walk close to the edge of the platform. Just as the first car of the long train approached the point where he was standing, Criswell toppled over upon the tracks. His head was completely severed from his body.

Down-town traffic in the subway was delayed for nearly an hour, while policemen and railway employes worked to remove the horrible remains. It was some time before the victim's identity was established. News of the tragedy was conveyed to his wife at an up-town hotel.

BACK TO WORK

LANCASTER MILLS WEAVERS REACH DECISION.

CLINTON, Aug. 4—The 150 weavers at the Lancaster mills who went on strike a week ago because the management would not pay 55 cents a cut for weaving fancy shirtings, yesterday voted to return to work next Monday for 45 cents in order to determine if they could earn as much at that wage on shirtings as they could on ordinary ginghams. If at the end of two weeks they find it impossible to do so, the management agrees to make a satisfactory agreement with them.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

FEIGNS INSANITY

Schidlofski Fears the Devils Will Get Him

BOSTON, Aug. 4.—John Schidlofski, who is in East Cambridge jail awaiting an indictment charging him with the murder of his wife, Marciana, at Belmont last month, wildly insists that he is tormented by evil spirits.

Schidlofski is giving Sheriff Fairbairn and the jail officers considerable trouble by his outbreaks. The prisoner is either insane or is making very subtle efforts to convince the prison guards that he is suffering from serious aberrations. During the day and night he cries at the top of his voice: "The devils are after me! They are going to get me! Take them a way!"

When a guard approaches him he beseches him to chase away the devils which, he says, are in his cell and are trying to make him kill himself.

"The devils are after me all the time," says the prisoner. "I can't get rid of them. They are trying to make me do evil."

A few days ago Schidlofski was given a newspaper at his request. Instead of reading it he separated the sheets and carefully spread them out until they covered the floor of his cell. He wanted the officer in the corridor to notice it, and when the guard asked him what his purpose was he answered: "It will keep the devils out. They come up through the floor and they make me wild. But they can't get through the floor now and I'm going to keep those papers there so they won't get to me."

He has kept the floor of the cell covered with newspapers since and says he feels easier when the "devils" are kept out.

Schidlofski, by his actions in the jail, is preparing for a possible defence of insanity. Since he was taken to the jail last Saturday he has endeavored in every way, by raving and rushing wildly about his cell, to give the impression that he is utterly irresponsible. He has annoyed many of the other prisoners by his cries during the night, and during the day he is never quiet. He stamps his feet and butts his head against the wall, but never hard enough to injure his skull.

Sheriff Fairbairn is certain that the man is feigning, so he has not removed him to a padded cell, nor had him examined by an alienist. But the sheriff is afraid the prisoner may injure himself and as a precautionary measure he keeps a guard near his cell day and night, who is expected to have the man under observation continually.

The other day Skidlofski wanted a shave. Althoug he is a barber the sheriff did not think it safe to trust him with a razor. He took him to the jail barber and while he was being shaved Sheriff Fairbairn and a deputy stood beside the chair to interfere in case he attempted to seize the razor.

It is expected that Schidlofski will be tried in October. But if he continues as violent as he has been during the past week it is very probable that he will make such an impression upon the district attorney that Mr. Sanderson will consent to have him examined by alienists before he is placed on trial for murder.

AMERICA'S SPA

SARATOGA IN MID-SUMMER IS THE REAL THING.

The season is on! Saratoga, the one joyous, only true pleasure spot is reeking with fun! Thousands have already gathered at the famous Spa. Broadway and its line of magnificent hotels presents a scene gorgeous and dazzling in the extreme. Early morning sees handsome equipages driving back and forth; Congress Spring Park assembles hundreds seated at tables, talking and sipping the invigorating and health-giving waters. Noon, the cars and the carriages are traveling in the same direction—"off for the races!" Have you ever witnessed the thrilling sport, which means so much to the summer Saratogian? Enthusiasm! Why, there is nothing on earth to compare with a Saratoga race.

Thousands of people, men and women, young and old, are in the grand stands. The paddock contains its usual throng of inside devotees. The sedate looking banker who has abandoned Wall street for a few weeks is here; the loud dressed, sporty looking individual who is laying his plans to beat the "bookies" is on hand; a few rail birds, just to give a touch of realism to the scene, are perched on the fence; the midged jockeys in their variegated costumes are curbing the prancing and impatient thoroughbreds.

There is a loud murmur, a rumble of mirthful chatting and low laughter—what a merry looking assemblage! Cosmopolitan, gorgeous, democratic Saratoga! No care, no class! Common in purpose, in thought; the fever of the race is on. The barrier is up! They're off! The colored jackets are crowding on the necks of their horses! Not a breath in the grand stand, then a loud hurrah as the favorite sweeps from the field; silence, tense silence, as another swings free. They sweep into the stretch, two ahead! Neck and neck! The crowd is silent, the jockeys are driving for their lives! The favorite falters for a moment! his rival forges a nose ahead; another cheer, and then an awful stillness as a shadow surges to the outside, swings into the open, and ere the thousands realize it an "outsider" has won the race!

Evening—now paint Saratoga, and who will wonder why there is only one Saratoga? The verandas of the magnificent hotels are thronged with fashionably dressed men and women. In the spacious and fragrant court yards are hundreds more, walking or seated at the tables, quaffing cool drinks and breathing in the balmy atmosphere. The strains of sweet music float forth from the hotel verandas.

Broadway is a promenade! Saratoga is at its ease.

Do you live in New England? Get away! Go out to Saratoga! The season is on! The Boston & Maine Railroad is the only line out of Boston running through to Saratoga. Write and we will tell you how to go. For a two cent stamp we will send you a book describing the route; the title is, "The Hoosac Country and Deerfield Valley." D. J. Flanders, General Passenger & Ticket Agent, Boston & Maine Railroad, Boston.

BROKE RECORD

BICYCLE RIDER MADE A NEW MARK FOR TWO MILES.

OGDEN, Utah, Aug. 4.—W. Samuelson of Provo, Utah, has broken the world's bicycle record for two miles at the local saucer track, riding from scratch. In a two-mile lap, handicap, professional race, he did the distance in 3:48⅕. This is 4-5 of a second better than any previous record.

CHICAGO POLICE

Hot On the Trail of Gamblers

MEN WHO PLAY THE RACES

Put in Strenuous Day With the Police

CHICAGO, Aug. 4.—Gamblers, intent on playing the races, and policemen, determined to prevent all race track betting on Lake Michigan yesterday, furnished an exciting struggle between law and sport.

Chief of Police Collins announced two days ago that he would no longer permit the operation of the floating pool room, City of Traverse. He asserted that they would arrest all men who attempted to board the steamer.

The gamblers circumvented the chief of police at the outset by causing the steamer City of Traverse to be run out into the lake, where she lay all through the morning waiting for the cargo of betters. Large details of police were placed on the shore guarding the approaches to all the docks from which the gamblers might make their way to the lake. It was the expectation of the authorities that the betters would leave Chicago on the City of Traverse, but instead of this a small excursion steamer, the Eagle, had been chartered and the gamblers, walking past the police, embarked and started for the City of Traverse. The police were powerless to intercept any of the "excursionists," as they called themselves, and watched them sail away.

The announced program of the managers of the floating pool room was that all passengers would be landed at Ninety-second street, South Chicago. Chief Collins, balked in his attempt to prevent the sailing of the gamblers on the Eagle, transferred his force to Ninety-second street and posted them along the shore in such a manner that it would have been impossible for any man from the City of Traverse or the Eagle to set foot on shore and escape arrest. Late in the day the Eagle steamed into the river at South Chicago loaded with 200 men who were anxious to reach shore. As soon as the boat was well in the mouth of the river the bridge was swung behind it. With escape to the lake cut off by the bridge, and no possible chance of a safe landing on shore, the case of the gamblers for a time looked desperate. The Eagle circled around in the harbor tooting its whistle for the bridge to turn and allow the steamer to return to the lake. The police stood on the shore and laughed.

A mud scow came up and whistled for the bridge to open. The bridge tender was compelled to swing the bridge and the Eagle, planting its bow squarely in the stern of the mud scow, crowded it closely as it passed through the bridge and then made a run for the open lake.

As the bridge opened the police made a rush for the fire tug Yosemite, and by the time the Eagle was entering the waters of the lake the tug loaded with officers, was tearing after it.

The Eagle headed directly toward the waters which are within the jurisdiction of Indiana, with the Yosemite in chase. The Eagle steadily drew away from the tug and after a run of ten miles, the police turned back and returned to South Chicago. The Eagle continued its course and landed at Indiana harbor from where all of its passengers made their way to Chicago by train.

Before the arrival of the Eagle at South Chicago a launch came in bearing a number of gamblers from the City of Traverse and several fishermen. All the passengers on the launch were lined up on the pier and compelled to stand in a heavy rain while the police weeded out the fishermen from the excursionists. Fourteen men, who could not prove that they had been fishing, were loaded into patrol wagons and carried to a police station.

The gamblers who returned to Chicago last night declared that the wireless apparatus on the City of Traverse refused to work throughout the day and that not a message was received and not a bet was made.

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It was an easy feat for us to sell 25 dozens men's Negligee Shirts last week. The 50c kind for 35c each. We have just received another lot yesterday which will go quickly at the above price.

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Heavy Police Suspenders, Cuff Ends, 19c a pair

Straw Hats at very much less than cost. Get one of us now. We will have another hot spell.

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526 to 536 Merrimack Street

TOOK HIS LIFE

AFTER TELLING HIS WIFE THAT HE WAS FINALLY RUINED.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—After breaking to his wife the news that he was financially ruined, Frederick F. Lamley, 55 years old, manufacturer of belts and women's novelties, committed suicide last night in the presence of his wife in their home, 151 Convent avenue. He had quarreled with his partner, he told his wife, and the partnership would have to be dissolved.

"I am ruined," he told her, "and I am too old a man to begin all over again."

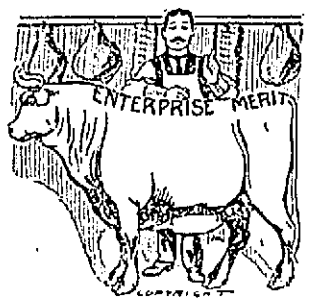
SOLDIER SHOT

Had Attacked Officer With a Sword

BURLINGTON, Vt., Aug. 4.—Private Michael J. McManus of troop H, 15th cavalry, stationed at Fort Ethan Allen, was shot and probably fatally injured last night by Corporal William Mead, the non-commissioned officer in charge of the quarters where the shooting occurred. Lieut. W. R. Tremane of the regiment stated last night that Corporal Mead acted strictly in discharge of his duty, and no effort was made to arrest him.

According to those in the quarters McManus had been drinking, and when he appeared he was very noisy. Mead tried to quiet him, but McManus drew his sword and attacked the corporal. A number of the soldiers dragged McManus out of the quarters but when he saw Mead following he again rushed at the officer. Then Mead drew his revolver and fired. The bullet struck McManus in the side and he fell to the ground. He was removed to the post hospital and it was said that he had but a small chance of recovery.

McManus enlisted in New York 12 years ago, while Mead comes from Providence, R. I.



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¼ lb. carton Af. Ginger.....6c
¼ lb. carton Allspice.....6c
¼ lb. carton Black and White Pepper. 6c
10c can Dry Mustard.....6c
Choice Stickney & Poor's or Slade's.
15 Large Nutmegs.....6c

Sugar 6c lb.

Canned Goods

Strawberry Beets.....6c can
Best No. 1 Standard Tomatoes, 6c can
Best White Wax Beans.....6c can
3 lb. can Best Baked Beans.....6c
2 lb. can Best Peas.....6c can
Best Canned Corn.....6c can
Best Canned Soups (assorted), 6c can
Choice of Schimmel's or Tri-Color.
10c can Baking Powder, choice of I. C. and Purity.....6c can
10c can Hudson's Potash.....6c can
Choice Oredo Blackberries.....6c can
3 lb. can Squash (any brand).....6c
Easter Dishes of Mustard.....6c

Choice Fresh Meats

Best Hams.....11c and 12c lb.
LEGS of Veal.....10c lb.
Forequarters Veal.....6c and 7c lb.
Rump Butts.....10c lb.
Best Sirloin Roast Beef.....12c lb.
Best Rib Roast Beef.....8c to 12c lb.
Best Smoked Bacon.....12c lb.
Best Salt Ribs.....8c lb.
Best Rump Steak.....15c and 18c lb.
Best Sirloin Steak.....15c lb.
Best Round Steak, 2 lbs. for.....25c
3 lbs. Best Pork Sausage for.....25c
3 lbs. Best Frankforts for.....25c
Best Liver.....5c lb.

Vegetables

Native Butter Beans.....5c qt.
Largest New Potatoes..... 25c pk
New Cabbage.....2c lb.
Radishes, 3 bunches for.....5c

Butterine

Tastes better and is purer than Butter.

Prints.....12½c Lb.
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Tubs 10c lb.

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Best Large Flake Rice.....8c lb.
10c pkg. Macaroni, Blue Cross Brand. 6c
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Best Mince Meat.....6c pkg.
Boneless Codfish.....6c lb.
Quart bot. Best Ammonia.....6c
Best New York State Hand-Screened Pea Beans.....6c qt.
1 lb. pkg. Seedless Raisins, choice of any of Standard Brands.....6c pkg.
Uncle Jerry's Pancake Flour.....6c

Choice Bottled Goods

10c Bottle Bluing.....6c
Qt. bottle Best Ammonia.....6c
10c bottle Horse Radish.....6c
12c large bot. Chloride Lime.....6c
12c bot. Hirsch Worcestershire Sauce. 6c
15c bot. Loubon Huile D'Salad (salad oil).....6c

Choice Pure Extracts

Vanilla..... 6c
Lemon..... 6c
Jamaica Ginger..... 6c
Wintergreen..... 6c

Legs of Lamb 12 to 14c Lb.

Canned Meats

Armour's 30c glass jars of sliced dried beef..... 20c
10c can Armour's Deviled Ham.... 6c
10c package Veal Loaf..... 8c
10c package Ham Loaf..... 8c
1 lb. can Roast Beef.....10c
2 lb. can Roast Beef.....20c
1 lb. can Corned Beef.....10c
2 lb. can Corned Beef.....20c
½ lb. can Boned Chicken.....25c
½ lb. can Tongue.....20c
1 lb. can Tongue.....30c

Cereals

Mother's Oats.....3c pkg.
Quaker Oats.....8c pkg.
Hawk-eye Oats.....6c pkg.
5 lb. pkg. China Oats, containing piece of decorated china.....20c pkg.
Quaker Puffed Rice..... 8c

New Soups

Just In Fresh

Van Camp's—
Tomato.....6c can
Chicken.....6c can
Bouillon.....6c can
Oxtail.....6c can
Mock Turtle.....6c can
Vegetable.....6c can
Consomme.....6c can
Julienne.....6c can
Beef.....6c can
Mulligatawney.....6c can

Special

Wetmore's Gelatine.....6c pkg.
Wetmore's Grated Cocoanut...6c pkg.
Wetmore's Prepared Pudding..6c pkg.
½ lb. cans Baker's Cocoa.....15c
5c pkg. Sterry's Cocoa Shells.....3c
¼ lb. pkg. Emile Ader's No. 1 Premium Chocolate..... 6c

Lard

14 lb. pails Pure Lard.....8c lb.
10 lb. pails Pure Lard.....85c
3 lb. pails Compound Lard.....6c lb.
5 lb. pails Compound Lard.....6c lb.
20 lb. pails Compound Lard.....6c lb.

Smoked Shoulders 8c lb.

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Chase & Sanborn's Pure Coffee, 20c lb.

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3 lb. cans Best Pears.....3 for 25c
3 lb. cans Best Plums.....3 for 25c
New Red Salmon.....3 cans for 25c
Challenge Milk.....3 cans for 25c
Blue Hill Brand Clams..3 cans for 25c
3 lb. cans Best Peaches.....12c can
Best Strawberries.....10c can
Best Raspberries.....12c can
Best Blueberries.....12c can
Best Karo Corn Syrup.....3 for 25c
Strictly Fresh Eggs.....20c doz.
Sardines, 4c box.....8 boxes for 25c
6 lbs. large Prunes..... 25c

Starch

Best Corn Starch, 5c pkg.; 6 pkgs. 25c
Any of Standard Laundry Starch put up expressly for me in 1 lb. cartons. 6c
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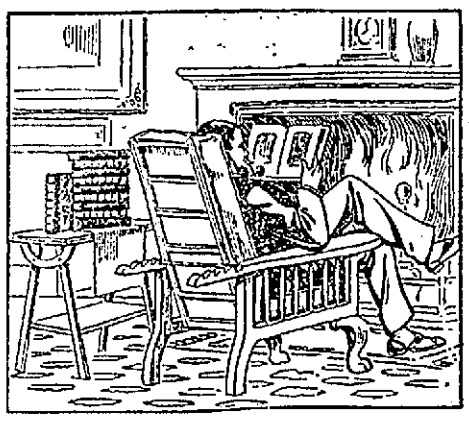

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A POOR START

Made by the Taunton Team Yesterday

NEW BEDFORD, Aug. 4—The Taunton team took Lowell's place in the New England league yesterday and began with two defeats. New Bedford won on the first game 14 to 4, and the second 13 to 2. Four of the Taunton independent team filled places in both games, and the remaining players wore Lowell uniforms. Jordan, Drohan and McKnight pitched parts of the first game for the visitors, and Huntington pitched the entire second game. Both Varney and Drohan were compelled to retire because of injuries to their fingers. The scores:

(First game.)

NEW BEDFORD.

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Coveney c	3	4	0	4	0	0
Kavanaugh cf	2	4	1	4	0	0
Mullaney lf	5	2	4	1	0	1
Burrill 1b	3	2	2	15	0	0
Kehoe 2b	3	1	3	1	6	1
Dwyer 3b	5	0	0	0	2	0
D. Murphy ss	3	0	1	2	1	1
Morrissey rf	5	0	0	0	0	0
Mack p	3	1	0	0	4	0
Totals	32	14	11	27	13	3

TAUNTON.

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Tierney lf	5	0	2	4	0	0
Wolfe ss	5	0	0	1	3	3
J. Jackson, 3b	4	0	1	4	2	0
McAloon c	5	1	1	2	7	0
Beaulieu cf	4	1	0	1	0	1
Grant 1b	4	1	1	9	0	1
Devalley 2b	4	0	0	2	0	1
Ellison rf	4	0	2	1	0	1
Jordan p	0	1	0	0	2	0
Drohan p	1	0	0	0	1	0
McKnight p	2	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	38	4	7	24	17	7

New Bedford ....1 3 1 3 0 3 3 0 x—14
Taunton ....0 0 1 0 0 2 0 1 0—4

Sacrifice hits—Coveney, Kavanaugh, Mack. Stolen bases—Coveney 2, Kavanaugh 2, Kehoe 2, Burrill, D. Murphy, J. Jackson, Beaulieu. First base on balls—By Jordan 5, by Drohan 2, by McKnight 3, by Mack 2. Hit by pitched ball—By McKnight, Murphy. Passed ball—McAloon. Wild pitches—Mack 3. Struck out—By Mack 4, by Drohan 1. Hits—Off Jordan 5 in 3 innings; off Drohan 2 in 1 inning; off McKnight 4 in 4 innings. Umpire—Kerins. Time—1.56. Attendance—750.

(Second game.)

NEW BEDFORD.

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Coveney c	5	2	1	6	1	0
Kavanaugh cf	6	1	0	2	1	0
Mullaney lf	3	3	3	2	0	0
Burrill 1b	5	0	3	10	0	0
Kehoe 2b	4	1	0	3	4	1
Dwyer 3b	4	0	0	1	2	0
D. Murphy ss	4	3	1	2	3	2
Morrissey rf	3	2	2	1	0	0
Varney p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Elliott p	5	1	1	0	2	0
Totals	39	13	11	27	13	3

TAUNTON.

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Tierney lf	5	1	1	2	0	0
Wolfe ss	3	0	0	3	4	4
J. Jackson 3b	4	0	0	1	1	1
O. Jackson c	4	0	1	2	2	0
McAloon c	0	0	0	0	0	0
Beaulieu cf	4	1	0	1	0	1
Grant 1b	4	0	1	10	1	0
Devalley 2b	4	1	2	2	5	1
Burns rf	3	0	1	2	0	0
Huntington p	4	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	35	3	7	21	13	7

New Bedford ....0 6 0 3 1 1 0 2 x—13
Taunton ....1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—2

Three base hits—Burrill, Mullaney. Two base hits—Burrill, Mullaney, Morrissey, Murphy. Sacrifice hit—Wolfe. Stolen bases—Coveney, Kehoe, Morrissey, Burns. First on balls—By Elliott 1, by Huntington 7. Hit by pitched ball—By Huntington, Morrissey. Passed ball—O. Jackson. Wild pitches—Huntington. Struck out—By Elliott 6, by Huntington 1. Double play—Grant to Wolfe to Grant. Hits—Off Varney 1 in 2-3 inning; off Elliott 6 in 8 1-3 innings. Umpire—Kerins. Time—1.50. Attendance—750.

N. E. LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Fall River	42	29	.592
Concord	44	31	.587
Lawrence	41	32	.562
Haverhill	38	33	.535
New Bedford	37	35	.514
Lynn	38	37	.507
Nashua	29	47	.382
Taunton	24	49	.339

N. E. LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Haverhill—Haverhill 2, Lawrence 1.
At Fall River—(First game) Fall River 15, Nashua 2; (second game) Fall River 6, Nashua 0.
At Lynn—Lynn 4, Concord 3.
At New Bedford—(First game) New Bedford 14, Taunton 4; (second game) New Bedford 13, Taunton 2.

GAMES TODAY.

(New England League.)

Nashua at New Bedford.
Taunton at Fall River.
Haverhill at Lynn.
Lawrence at Concord.

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Philadelphia	52	35	.598
Chicago	51	35	.593
Cleveland	53	38	.582
New York	42	41	.506
Boston	42	43	.424
Detroit	43	46	.483
Washington	23	55	.375
St. Louis	32	55	.368

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Boston—Boston 5, Cleveland 0.
At St. Louis—New York 5, St. Louis 4 (11 innings.)
At Washington—Chicago 6, Washington 0.
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia 3, Detroit 2.

GAMES TODAY.

(American League.)

Cleveland at Boston.
St. Louis at New York.
Chicago at Washington.
Detroit at Philadelphia.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
New York	70	25	.737
Pittsburg	58	36	.617
Philadelphia	51	38	.591
Chicago	53	42	.558
Cincinnati	48	48	.500
St. Louis	26	61	.371
Boston	31	65	.323
Brooklyn	28	64	.304

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati 5, Brooklyn 0.
At Pittsburg—New York 4, Pittsburg 1.
At St. Louis—Philadelphia game postponed, wet grounds.
At Chicago—Boston-Chicago game postponed, account of rain.

GAMES TODAY.

(National League.)

Boston at Chicago.
New York at Pittsburg.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.
Brooklyn at Cincinnati.

DIAMOND NOTES.

Mammoth vs. Middlesexs at Middlesex Village at 2.30 tomorrow afternoon.

The two Jacksons, Tierney, and Huntington were with Taunton yesterday. It looks as if Grant would have to strengthen.

Connors played third and Bigbie left for Lynn yesterday and made a hit as might be expected.

Halligan has gone back to Brooklyn and Sullivan and Houghton to South Boston. Huntington may go to Rutland, Vt. All the rest are alive and well.

The admission of Taunton into the New England baseball league has made necessary a change in the schedule. President Murnane has announced the following games for the coming week:

Monday, Aug. 7—New Bedford at Haverhill, Fall River at Lynn, Taunton at Concord, Nashua at Lawrence.

Tuesday, Aug. 8—Fall River at Lynn, New Bedford at Haverhill, Taunton at Nashua, Lawrence at Concord.

Wednesday, Aug. 9.—New Bedford at Nashua, Fall River at Lawrence, Taunton at Haverhill, Lynn at Concord.

Thursday, Aug. 10—New Bedford at Lawrence, Fall River at Concord, Haverhill at Nashua, Lynn at Taunton.

Friday, Aug. 11—New Bedford at Lynn, Concord at Manchester, Lawrence at Haverhill, Fall River at Taunton.

Saturday, Aug. 12.—Concord at New Bedford, Nashua at Fall River, Lynn at Lawrence, Haverhill at Taunton (two games).

Taunton didn't make a very fancy start.

McDermott says he is rooting for Concord to land the flag.

The baseball woods are being scoured for the Boston Americans.

Lajoie is doing finely and will be able to work in two weeks.

Cleveland has four .300 batsmen. They are Lajoie, Rhoades, Bay and Bemis.

The New York Nationals have taken 12 out of 15 from Cincinnati. That is piling it on.

The Chicago Chronicle says that Jimmy Casey is doing the best work of his career.

The victory of Pitcher Jack Taylor of the Cardinals from Boston on this trip was his first in nine.

Charley Hickman batted for .333 in 20 games for Washington. The club has been doing finely since he joined it.

Barney Dreyfuss says that Pat Powers could not come any nearer the presidency of the National league than he did.

Manager Bradley of the Clevelands has been hit 13 times this season by pitched balls and lives to be out of the hospital.

Such things as the cutting of bases ought to be cut out by any first-class manager. It is neither fair nor clean ball playing.

New Haven and Springfield played a game at Savin Rock Monday that lasted 69 minutes. New Haven won, 3 to 0, Tuckey pitching.

Umpire Laird was mobbed and ducked by Williamsport (Pa.) fans last Friday, and the directors of the club have given orders that there shall be no more scenes of that kind.

The eight consecutive defeats administered by New York to Cincinnati in the National race naturally cause one to imagine there will be a tall shake-up somewhere before long.

Fancy such umpires as McCarthy and Connor for so important a series as Chicago and the Athletics. They may satisfy Mr. B. Johnson, but evidently not Fielder Jones and C. A. Comiskey.

That young man Dygert, who is doing such fine work for New Orleans, belongs to the pitching staff of a gentleman resident in Philadelphia who answers to the name of C. McGillicuddy, or more familiarly known as Connie Mack. So hands off.

Frantz still leads the American association in batting, although he has fallen below the .400 point. He hit for .359 in 41 games, a mighty good showing. Twenty-two are above .300. Clay of Louisville has hit for .359, Oliver Pickering, the American league discard, for .340. "Tip" O'Neill, formerly of the Boston Americans, .323, Wyatt Lee .312; Geir .291, Mike Kelley .287, Pete Noonan .276, Jack Ryan of Haverhill .266.

C. Y. M. L. vs. Elms on the South common tomorrow afternoon for championship of city.

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MURDER CHARGE

Dwyer Was Held Without Bail

LAWRENCE, Mass., Aug. 4.—Michael Dwyer, who, it is alleged, fatally stabbed Matthew Webb in this city Saturday night, was again arraigned in court yesterday. The charge against the prisoner was changed from assault to murder, on account of the death of the victim. Owing to illness of counsel he was remanded without bail for a further hearing.

A. A. U. EVENTS

WILL BE HELD AT LEWIS AND CLARK FAIR.

PORTLAND, Aug. 4.—For the first time in the history of athletics the A. A. U. has given recognition to Western athletes by providing that the national championship contests shall be held in a western city. The contests will take place on August 4th and 5th, at the Lewis and Clark exposition, now in full swing in this city, and will give western athletes a chance to show their prowess. There will be men in the contests who know the game of athletics, such as Murphy, Stagg and Moulton have taught; men who are world's record holders in their events, such as the westerner is anxious to see tried out, and with his own athlete on the athletic field; athletic giants from the Boston Athletic association, the oldest organization in America; the New York Athletic club, the hotbed of "crackerjacks;" the Greater New York Irish Athletic association; the Xavier club; the Milwaukee Athletic club, and the Chicago Athletic association.

These clubs include among their members such men as Martin Sheridan, holder of the individual world's championship, track and field, of the Greater New York Irish Athletic association; John Flanagan, the world's record holder in the hammer throw of the same organization; J. J. Hicks, winner of the Marathon race at St. Louis last year, who will run here, of the Cambridgeport gymnasium; Harry Hillman, winner of three events at St. Louis last year, of the New York Athletic club; Parsons, of Yale, in the mile, and Jordan of the same place; Shick, of Harvard, in the 100 and 220; Sam Jones, the intercollegiate champion high jumper of the states; Clapp, in the hurdles and vault, and McClanahan also.

Then there will be Lightbody, from Chicago, in the mile and the half-mile, record time; Waller in the same distances from the said club. Barker, with a jump of six feet; Devorak, with a vault of 12 feet; Blair in the 100 and 220; Garrels in the discus, world's record holder in the shot, and in the same club, the Chicago Athletic association. A. Coates of the Multnomah Amateur Athletic club, Portland, who will keep them all busy in the hurdles and broad jump, and Archie Hahn, of Milwaukee, winner of three places last year at St. Louis, who will represent the Milwaukee Athletic club.

To compete against all these will be Dole, of Stanford, holder of the world's record in the pole vault; Maw, the California wonder with the hammer; Parsons, of Los Angeles Y. M. C. A.; Sneidigar, of Berkeley, in the 100 and broad jump; Hyde, of Stanford in the weights; Garner, of Olympic club, in the 440, 880, mile and five mile; Hall, coast record holder in the high jump, recently made in practice, of the Olympic club also, and Abadlem, a 100-yard man, who will go in ten seconds flat; Smithson, of Multnomah, who is expected to win the hundred; Williams, in the quarter, perhaps, and Greenhaw in the half mile; Gilbert in the vault; Frissel in the broad jump and hurdles; Moores and Kuykendall in the hurdles; James, Johnson and Baker in the weights, all from Multnomah; then Tom McDonald, from Seattle, in the weights, and Grant in the high jump.

So in comparison with them all, the East against the West, is a toss up, with perhaps the East having a very small bit the better of it in the matter of records. What the climate and trip will do for them is conjecture.

BRUTAL ASSAULT

Serious Charge Against Police Officer

BOSTON, Aug. 4.—Charged with throttling and brutally clubbing Dennis Griffin, a young man who lives at 18 Upton street, while he was in a cell at Station 5 on the morning of July 4, Patrolman James McMullin was yesterday placed on trial before Judge Bennett in the municipal criminal court. The case will go on this morning, the defence having put on two witnesses prior to adjournment. Both sides are represented by counsel.

Griffin testified that he was arrested about 1 o'clock on the morning of July 4, in Blackstone Park by Patrolman Sheehan, and booked on the charge of drunkenness. He amused the spectators when he said that he was "not exactly drunk or sober." He declared he had taken eight glasses of beer, but that he was well able to care for himself. He was placed in a cell with five other prisoners.

He said he had hardly been in the cell five minutes when Patrolman McMullin came down and passed an insulting remark about him. Griffin resented it, and the patrolman, he alleges, proceeded to do him up. The young man said McMullin grabbed him by the throat and nearly choked him. He forced him up against the wall and then rained blow after blow with a club to which the cell key was attached. This had formerly been a policeman's night stick, and had been reduced in length to serve as a protector for the key. Griffin added that there were marks on his throat and that his head was cut in several places.

WIRE SIZZLED.

A trolley wire in Prescott street, near the corner of Central street, broke last night about 11.30 o'clock and falling on a rail furnished spectacular fireworks for several minutes. Traffic through the street was impeded until the repair gang from the power house arrived on the scene.

Handkerchief Bargains

60 doz. Men's Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, regular 15c quality, for this sale

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single and double breasted styles, all according to the latest fashion, in cheviots, Scotches, fancy worsteds, tweeds and worsted cheviots. The best suits in our stock are represented in this assortment and practically our entire stock of fancy mixtures, in all grades, from $10 to $25, are offered today at

$5, $7.75, $9.75, $12.75, $14.75

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HEAD-ON CRASH

Electric Cars Met On Loop at Attleboro

TWELVE PERSONS WERE INJURED

Motorman Unable to Stop Car

ATTLEBORO, Mass., Aug. 4.—Twelve persons were severely and several others slightly injured in a head-on collision between two trolley cars on the North Attleboro loop of the Interstate Consolidated Street railway late yesterday afternoon. The most seriously injured are:

Mrs. Bernard Cannon, North Attleboro, ankle broken.
Mrs. Fred Baker, North Attleboro, internally injured.
Herbert Slade, Boston, face lacerated.
Motorman Arthur Monroe, Warren, R. I., ankle crushed.
Richard Murray, North Attleboro, arms injured.
Miss Susie Klein, North Attleboro, shoulders lacerated.
Miss Annie Kerke, North Attleboro, hips and arms bruised.
Mrs. Ellen Moulton, Providence, nose broken.
Conductor Hiram Congdon, Attleboro, arms and hands bruised.
Mrs. Owen Curtis, North Attleboro, severe bruises about body.
Cyril K. Fontaine, North Attleboro, arms and legs injured.
Miss F. Meyer, North Attleboro, arms bruised.

The accident occurred just north of a switch and on a blind curve about four miles south of North Attleboro, and is said to have been caused by a mistake in signals.

A north-bound car from Providence heavily loaded came up to the switch about six o'clock and instead of stopping, kept on, and was rounding the curve just beyond at a good speed when a south-bound car, on which there were comparatively few passengers, suddenly appeared right ahead. Neither motormen had time to more than shut off the power when the collision occurred. The north-bound car was badly smashed, but the south-bound was not damaged to any great extent, and no one on that car was injured.

Dr. A. J. McCoy of North Attleboro, who was on board, rendered aid to the wounded until the arrival of other physicians from North Attleboro and Attleboro.

The company dispatched cars to the scene and the injured were taken to North Attleboro.

LABOR BUREAU

MAY BE ABOLISHED BECAUSE OF EXPENSE.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—The abolition of the state free employment bureau at 107 East Thirty-first street, is favorably considered by P. Tecumseh Sherman, who was appointe state labor commissioner to succeed John Mackin. Some time ago Commissioner Sherman asked a committee of citizens to investigate the bureau and in a letter made public yesterday they recommend the abolition of the bureau at the end of the present fiscal year. The committee consisted of Lee K. Frankel and Walter Kruesi, representing the Hebrew Charities and Charity organization; Frank Tucker, a director of the Provident Loan association; J. W. Sullivan of Typographical union No. 6 and James P. Archibald of the Brotherhood of Painters. The committee in its letter gives the following greasons for its recommendation:

"1. That the bureau is, in effect, an intelligence office for women domestic servants.

"2. That the sum appropriated for the maintainence of the bureau ($5000) is entirely inadequate to conduct a bureau which might have an effect upon the labor situation in the state in general.

"3. That the energy represented by the expenditure of $5000 annually, or any larger sum, will at this time produce the best results by dealing with the problem of factory inspection and child labor."

Reports are given to show that the work of the bureau consisted principally in finding place for women house workers, and the committee adds:

"So far as obtaining work for men is concerned, the bureau has failed to be effective. The reasons for this, we believe, are not difficult to find. The labor unions are themselves great employment bureaus for their members. Private agencies for all kinds of help have increased in number and improved in efficiency."

Commissioner Sherman, who knew of the recommendations before the letter was made public, says he will carry it out as far as possible.

What is a "Rocky Mountain Canary?" The Stoddard Lectures will tell you.

BUTLERS WILL ATTEND.

At the last meeting of the Butler veterans it was voted to attend the muster to be held at Manchester August 17, and the muster to be held at Nashua on Labor day.

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SHIRT WAIST SUITS—In chambray and fancy figured duck, made to sell at $3.98, now $1.98
LINEN SUITS—Tailor-made, tight fitting coat, 48 inches long, welted seams. $12.98 suits, now $7.98
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$1.50 Waists 75c
$2.00 Waists $1.00

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SAVE THOUSANDS

Mayor Casey Rejects Street Lighting Contract

Mayor Casey has refused to approve the five-year contract for street lighting with the Lowell Gas Light company. He returned the contract to Chief Hosmer, superintendent of street lighting, yesterday afternoon. He gave as his reason for not approving the contract that the price was exorbitant, that the city can purchase its own lanterns from the American Street Lamp and Supply company and save thousands of dollars. The returned contract was accompanied by the following letter which tells the story in detail:

Lowell, Mass., Aug. 3, 1905.

Edward S. Hosmer, Superintendent Street Lighting, Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir:—I have considered carefully the provisions of the contract for street lighting you presented to me for my approval, and respectfully return the same without said approval. The contract is one between the city of Lowell, party of the first part, and the Lowell Gas Light company, party of the second part. It is a contract similar to the one now existing with the Welsbach company, and one in which the Welsbach company appears to be interested, as the contract stipulates that Welsbach boulevard lanterns shall be used.

I approve of the provisions of section B of said contract which says: "The lamps shall be lighted every night during the year and shall burn from dusk to dawn, a total of not exceeding 4000 hours per lamp in each year."

I do, however, consider the price named in the contract as excessive, and feel that the city's interest would not be conserved were we to sign a contract that would oblige the city to pay the sum of twenty-eight dollars and fifty cents $(28.50) per lamp per year for a period of five years.

A fair estimate of the actual expense of lighting these lamps would seem to be as follows: (I take in making these deductions, the Boston schedule of all-night service, which is a total of 365 nights, or 3,828 hours per lamp, as applicable to Lowell).

All-night service, every night, Boston schedule:

Three hundred and sixty-five days, 3,828 hours, 11,464 3-feet gas per hour, at 90c, $10.33; labor, 2c per light, $7.30; mantles and maintenance, $1—$18.63 per lamp per year.

The actual cost per lamp per year to the Lowell Gas Light company, or the Welsbach company, is apparently $18.63, yet they want to charge the city $28.50 per lamp per year, a difference of $9.87 per lamp per year. When you stop to consider that there are about 1150 of these lamps in the city each one of which would yield a profit of $9.87 a year, we must realize how very profitable this contract would be to the Lowell Gas Light company, or the Welsbach company whose contract is about to expire. A little figuring will show it. Take 1150 lamps at a profit of $9.87 per lamp, and the amount in one year is $11,350.-50 profit. On a five year contract the profit accruing to the Lowell Gas Light company under the terms of this contract would be $56,752.50. Why cannot the city of Lowell save this $56,-752.50 which otherwise would go into the treasury of the Lowell Gas Light company? It can.

It is well said that competition is the life of trade. I have before me the proposals of the American Street Lamp and Supply company. Its proposals on an all-night schedule are as follows: "It (the American Street Lamp and Supply company) will contract to furnish and maintain the lamps as above all night and every night during the year, on the accompanying lighting schedule of the city of Boston, aggregating 3828 lighting hours, for a period of five (5) years from September 15, 1905, for twenty-three dollars ($23.00) per lamp per year, the lanterns to remain the property of the company."

The above proposition is five dollars and fifty cents ($5.50) less then the contract price asked by the Lowell Gaslight company for the same service.

The fourth proposal of the American Street Lamp and Supply company is the proposition I would particularly call to your attention. It is as follows: "The company will contract to sell the lanterns to the city put up on the posts on the streets for twelve and 60-100 dollars (12.60) per lamp, including six mantles for each lamp."

The Welsbach company will not sell its lamps. The American Street Lamp and Supply company will. If the Lowell Gaslight company and the Welsbach company can do our street lighting at a cost of $18.63 why cannot the city do its own street lighting and save this profit of $9.87 on each lamp per year?

If we should purchase these lamps outright at a cost of $12.60 which is the first price asked, but which price can perhaps be made lower, the city would effect a great saving on the contract price asked by the Lowell Gas Light company, and still own the lamps. Take the following figures for example:

FIRST YEAR PER LAMP.

Cost of lamp on post	$12.60
Gas, 3828 H. @ 20c	10.31
Labor at 2c per lamp	7.30
Mantles and maintenance	1.00
	$31.23
Next four years at $18.63 each year	74.52
Total for five years	$105.75
Gas Light Co., five years at $28.50	142.50
Cash saving per lamp	$36.75
Add cost of lamp	12.60
Total Saving per lamp	$49.35

On a five year contract, or a total saving of $56,752.50 (including cost of lamps)

Saving in cash, five years	$42,252.50
Add cost of lamps	14,500.00
Total saving	$56,752.50

It may be said that the lamp of the American Street Lamp and Supply company is not equal in quality of light to that of the Welsbach company. Its sample light, located at the corner of Merrimack and Kirk streets, however, shows as much intensity of light as does the Welsbach. It is not obligatory that we purchase lamps from the American Co. If the Welsbach company will sell their lamps at a fair price then it would be advisable to purchase them, as they are already in position, or purchase the lamps of some other competing company.

The offer of the Lowell Electric Light corporation to install its Nernst lamp of sixty candle power for the sum of twenty-two dollars and seventy-five cents ($22.75) per lamp per year, all night service, seems a preferable proposition to that of the Lowell Gaslight company's offer at $28.50.

In returning this contract without my approval I am actuated by a desire to save to the city the enormous profit that would accrue to the Lowell Gas Light company, or the Welsbach company. I commend you for the painstaking vigilance exercised towards the fulfilment of the contract now expiring, and would recommend that you give consideration to the feasibility of the city doing its own street lighting in so far as is contemplated by this contract.

If we can effect a saving of fifty-six thousand dollars to the city it unquestionably is our duty to do so.

Truly yours,
JAMES B. CASEY, Mayor.

THE FIFTH WON

Made 423 Out of a Possible 500

WAKEFIELD, Mass., Aug. 4.—The annual two days' shoot of the Massachusetts state militia began today on the Bay State rifle range under most favorable weather conditions.

The slight breezes blowing across the grounds did not interfere matrially with the scores.

The shoot in the 200-yard competition was started first under charge of Lieut. Col. Edward J. Gihon, of the governor's staff. Nine regiments have sent teams of ten men each. The fifth regiment team won in the 200-yard contest with a score of 423 out of a possible 500. The highest individual scores were made by Captain Thomas McCarty and Private Joseph Durward of the 5th regiment, and Corporal George W. Chesley of the 6th, each having 45 out of a possible 50. The score for 200 yards follows:

Fifth regiment 423, Sixth regiment 411, First Corps Cadets 411, First Heavy Artillery 408, Eighth regiment 407, Naval Brigade 405, Second regiment 400, Ninth regiment 398, Second Corps Cadets 349.

ONE MILE RACE

AT MERCIER'S ROLLAWAY LAST NIGHT.

At Mercier's Rollaway, last evening, Curley Smith of Marion, Ind., who formerly played with Joe Fox's team, defeated Louis Mercier in a one-mile race, making the 20 laps in five minutes, four seconds, the time being rather slow. Mr. Smith is ready to meet all comers. He played polo last season on the Warren, O., champion team.

THE EMPEROR

ORDERS MILITARY HONORS FOR FRENCH HEROES.

BERLIN, Aug. 4.—The French government some time ago, expressed a wish that the bones of French soldiers who died while prisoners during the Franco-Prussian war should be returned to France. Emperor William has ordered that this be done and that military honors shall be rendered in every instance during the transfer.

DIED OF MENINGITIS.

SAN SEBASTIAN, Spain, Aug. 4.—The Infanta Maria Alfonso, son of the late Princess of the Asturias (sister of King Alfonso) and heir presumptive to the throne, died today of meningitis. He was born February 28, 1903.

The Infanta's father, Prince Charles of Bourbon, will be married in November to Princess Maria Teresa, his deceased wife's sister.

PERSONALS

Alfred D. Ware, of the firm of Ware Bros. of this city, has spent a very successful month in Chicago. On July 15 he was invited to the annual picnic of the Merchant Tailors' association and the Woolen and Trimming Men's association, at Ravinia park, where they enjoyed all the national sports. One of the best features of the outing were the concerts by the New York Symphony orchestra, of 60 pieces, which was engaged for the occasion.

Mr. Eunice O'Malley, former foreman of the Ginter Grocery Co., has resigned his position to accept a place with the Yorick club.

Messrs. Frank D. Collins and Thos. A. Sheridan will spend the month of August listening to what the ocean has to say at Nantasket beach, and will spend September in New York. They will return the last of September, to strengthen the local track team.

Born August 1 to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Buchanan, a daughter.

Eugene E. Stoughton has returned from a three weeks' vacation at Norway, Me.

Mrs. I. Carlton Macauley and children have returned from a four weeks' vacation at New Boston, N. H.

Deputy Redmond Welch is enjoying a two weeks' vacation.

Arthur J. Meade visited friends at Manchester, N. H., Wednesday.

Charles S. Underwood is visiting his sister, Mrs. Edward Field of Olneyville, R. I.

Miss Jennie Ryley of Prospect street is spending her vacation at Brant Rock.

The Misses Agnes Rourke, Mayme O'Leary, and Lena Conley are spending two weeks at Newport as guests of Miss Rourke's aunt, Mrs. Lee.

Miss May McCaffrey, Miss Marguerite McCaffrey and Miss Kelley of Somerville were recent guests of the Misses Rourke of South street.

William Cormier of Smith street is enjoying his vacation at points of interest along the New England seacoast.

Mrs. George W. Patten has returned from a protracted and enjoyable sojourn at Westmore, Vt.

Mrs. Fred H. Pearson and son Henry of the Highlands have gone to Cottage City for a sojourn of several weeks.

Miss Annie May Wylie of May street left Lowell Tuesday for a month's vacation, which she will spend in New York state and Canada.

Mrs. Francis Carll, president of the Y. W. C. A., and Miss Rachel Abbott go to Lowell lodge, Northfield, on Friday, for two weeks.

Miss Grace Colby, stenographer at the Locks & Canals office, went yesterday to Vermont for a stay of four weeks.

Miss Emma L. Bradley and Miss Bessie Huntoon are in Canada. They have spent some time in Montreal, and went to Berthier yesterday.

Rev. Father Bayer of Ottawa University is staying with the Oblate Fathers of St. Joseph's at the parish house in Merrimack street.

Miss Laura Pierson, sister of the lamented former secretary of the Lowell Y. W. C. A., Miss Louise Pierson, spent Saturday and Sunday at the rooms. She was delighted with the recreation room in memory of her sister. Miss Laura Pierson is now with her family in East Northfield, having been joined by his sister, Mrs. Helen Curtis of Japan, who is home for a year's furlough.

Captain and Mrs. Janvrin of this city will go to Boston tomorrow to see their son, Fred W., off for Pittsburg, where he is to make his headquarters for the future.

Mr. John F. Madden of Summer street is spending his vacation at Revere beach.

Mr. Wilfred Lorrain of 35 Puffer street is spending his three weeks' vacation in Sharon Springs, N. H., and along the coast.

Miss Elva A. Lane of Washington street is recovering from a short but serious illness.

Mrs. Culver of Appleton street, will spend the rest of the summer at Bar Harbor, Me., as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Hattie Culver Leighton.

Miss Lillian J. Roundtree of Pleasant street is spending her vacation with Miss Agnes Roach of Dorchester.

Mrs. Mary A. Meehan of Church street and son Harold are at Onset for the summer.

Miss Minnie A. McCarry of Fletcher street, is in Worcester for a few weeks.

Mr. William A. G. Moffatt of London street, is spending a three weeks' vacation at Fairlee, Vt.

Misses Lizzie and Nellie O'Connor, Alice Devlin and Lilla Garrahan are spending their vacation at Webster's farm, Pelham, N. H.

Miss Harriet White, clerk in the office of the police court, is on a two weeks' vacation. Her place is being taken by Mrs. George H. Brown.

Miss Anna Comtois of Salem street is enjoying a month's vacation at Salisbury beach.

Benjamin Lepine, son of Maxime Lepine of L'Etoile, is spending a week with his aunt in Worcester.

Mr. J. Brouillette of Montreal is the guest of his parents in Austin street for a few weeks.

Joseph Frenette and his family of Moody street, left Lowell last night for Canada, where he will reside in the future.

Miss Julia Emond of Ludlam street and Miss Annie Demers of Austin street, have gone to Revere beach, where they will remain during the next three weeks.

Miss Mamie Lemerise, head milliner for the O'Donnell company, has returned with her mother from a very pleasant vacation spent with relatives and friends in Woonsocket, Newport and Providence, R. I.

Patrolman Michael Kiernan, with family, is at Crescent beach.

Miss Annie Morris is visiting friends at Revere beach.

Miss Lottie Clements and Miss Elizabeth Plunkett of Cruickshanks' store, Central street, will spend the month of August in Montreal and other places of interest in Canada.

Rev. William D. Fuller of Los Angeles, Cal., is visiting friends and renewing old acquaintances in Lowell.

The Mayflower Social club will meet at the home of Miss Alice Peacock to spend a social evening.

Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Harris and Miss Dorothy Harris, have gone to Randolph, N. H., for the month of August.

Mr. Al. Choate has been at Salem as the guest of Peter A. Fay.

Miss Sarah E. Hovey of 4 Fifth street attended the Hovey family reunion at Ipswich on Tuesday.

Mrs. Clara A. Hayes and Miss Grace M. Boynton of West Sixth street, went yesterday noon to Way's Mills, P. Q., where they will remain until some time in September.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Callahan and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burns and family are spending the month of August in their cottage at Old Orchard.

Miss E. M. Skilton is spending her vacation in Bethlehem, N. H.

Miss Margaret Lang of this city, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. John J. Rourke, of Boyle court, Fitchburg.

Miss Martha Sweeney of Sullivan & Willard's, Lawrence, has returned home from a week's stay with Lowell friends who are camping at Canoble Lake.

Miss Hazel Dearth has beep the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Flora Young of Hudson, N. H., for the last few days.

William Grant, eldest son of the Centralville baker, is spending this week at Salisbury beach.

Mr. Michael V. Finnegan, janitor for the Coburn school, is visiting his old home in Nova Scotia, accompanied by his friend, Mr. T. F. Harrington, janitor of the High street school. They spent a few days at the Royal hotel, Neteghan, and were delighted with the scenery of the place. Mr. Finnegan was pleased to visit the scenes of his boyhood.

Miss Alice Horan, stenographer at Pratt & Forest's, is enjoying the breezes of Hampton beach.

Alfred J. Doyle, Arthur Bachelder, and Thomas Corcoran are the guests of Miss Eva Christy at Unptist pond.

Mr. Wilbur Cheney of Chelmsford Centre, spent yesterday with his family at Revere beach.

Misses Isabelle and Mae McNamee of Starkpole street, are spending their vacation at Salisbury beach.

Mrs. Sarah Hynes and daughter, Clementina, will spend the next two weeks in South Billerica.

Miss Eda V. Dana of 17 Batchelder street, observed the anniversary of her birth Tuesday evening at her home.

Miss Annie Donlon of 72 Livingston street, Miss Della Karane of Crosby street, and Miss Mary McHugh of Gorham street, will spend the next few weeks at the Hotel Merriwa, Revere beach.

Mr. Wilfred C. Lorrain of 25 Puffer street, is spending a three weeks' vacation in Sharon Springs, N. Y.

Mr. John F. Madden of Summer street will spend the next few days at Revere beach.

Master Harry O'Connor of 85 Thorndike street is visiting friends in Contoocook, N. H.

TIN DISHES

WILL NO LONGER BE USED BY CONVICTS.

ALBANY, N. Y., Aug. 4—The three thousand convicts confined in New York state prisons will no longer eat from dishes of tin. For sanitary as well as humanitarian reasons, superintendent of Prisons Collins, has substituted for the tin plate, cup and basin which for years constituted the dining outfit of the state prisoners, utensils of glazed white pottery of the heavy, almost unbreakable kind, familiar to cheap hotels and boarding houses.

MAY MEET

KING EDWARD AND EMPEROR WILLIAM EXPECTED AT FRANKFORT.

BERLIN, Aug. 4—Neither the British embassy or the foreign office is able to confirm or deny the report that emperor William and King Edward will meet at Frankfort on the Main during the latter's journey to Marblehead, nor accord'ng to the foreign office has the German embassy at London received any information regarding such an event. Official circles however, do not regard the report as improbable.

THE BOSTON MARKET.

BOSTON, Aug. 4—Early trading in the Boston market was strong today. Copper Range early declined to 69½ but recovered and at the end of the first hour was quoted at 70¼. In the general list Shoe machinery was the feature, advancing 1½ to 73. Massachusetts Gas Securities were firm but inactive. Allouez sold at 35, up 1½, on reports of good yield from Rock Stamped. Greene was in better demand and U. S. Mining was well held at 34.

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'TIS SWEET MARIE

Tiverton Beaten by California Wonder

FASTEST RACE EVER TROTTED

Tivertion Was Favorite With the Bettors

READVILLE, Aug. 4.—Sweet Marie has once again demonstrated the clearness of her title as "the greatest campaigning trotter the turf has ever had." Yesterday afternoon, over the New England Breeders' track, she defeated her greatest foe in the fastest three-heat race ever trotted—2.05½, 2.04¾, 2.06¾.

Sweet Marie's triumph over Tiverton was not easily gained. It was scored in one of the grandest struggles of racing history, and it required a mile which must be conceded to be the most wonderful ever made by a harness horse in competition.

Only two trotters have beaten 2.04¾ in a race—Cresceus in 2.03¾, Tiverton in 2.01¾, but men who saw both of these record-breaking performances are firm in their belief that Sweet Marie's time in the second heat of yesterday's famous match was a greater feat.

The California wonder was obliged to keep on the outside of Tiverton, who was out in third-horse place, making the mile an unusually long one; or, to be accurate, forcing her to trot many feet more than the standard distance.

Sweet Marie won not because she is faster or gamer than Tiverton, but for the reason that she is his superior physically. No turf champion, past or present, has approached her in this respect.

Tiverton she has to wear out to defeat, and any trotter who can take the beating that this gelding can is worthy of just as much respect and praise as is given to his conqueror.

In every detail it was the grandest contest between two trotters ever raced. From the date the match was made it promised to be such, and in the training of the two champions nothing has occurred to change public opinion. The Breeders' association is to be congratulated upon securing such an attraction, and it is pleasing to record that the race was enjoyed by a crowd which comfortably taxed the grand stand, clubhouse and lawns. Had the usual conditions so necessary to horse racing prevailed, the attendance must surely have been above those of the $20,000 stallion race day five years ago.

Mistaken ideas as to how a high-class harness horse race meeting is conducted have put the sport in this section of the country in jeopardy, and have already ruined what would have been the greatest meeting ever had at Readville outside of one or two of the grand circuit gatherings.

The racing yesterday was worth going a long ways to see, even had the card contained no star attractions. No better evidence of this can be furnished than the fact that not 100 persons left the grounds immediately upon the conclusion of the big event.

TIVERTON WAS FAVORITE.

Sweet Marie's victory was in the nature of a surprise, for in the betting Tiverton ruled as favorite. A vast amount of money changed hands on the result, as wagers have been common the past month.

Up to yesterday morning the gelding was the favorite, 3 to 5, but as the time of the race drew nigh the odds changed to 10 to 9, but with Tiverton still the choice. During the forenoon a bet was made in Boston between two New Yorkers of $1000 to $900.

It was only natural that Tiverton should go to the post a slight favorite, as he has always showed himself to be the mare's superior in a short race, and it was for this very reason that Alta McDonald was so very anxious to win yesterday.

Here is an opportunity to say that never in all the years that McDonald has been driving horses has he ever given a better exhibition of finished driving.

LOWELL HORSE

ARGUENOT WON $600 PURSE AT WATERVILLE.

WATERVILLE, Me., Aug. 4—Three thousand persons saw the opening races of the Morrill race meet at Central Maine park yesterday. The track was slightly heavy, but the heats were faster than expected.

The 2.27 stock trot and pace event was perhaps the most interesting, because of the fact that Arguenot, Baby Girl and Louise E were the disputants from start to finish, the race going to the horses in the orders given. Arguenot broke badly in the first half of the second heat, and failed to recover her lost ground. Arguenot took the first, third and fourth heats, winning the $600 purse.

Bobby Wilkes, Hazelwood and Topeka were the real contestants in a field of eight in the 2.33 event and Bobby won easily.

The three-minute trot and pace was won easily by Col. Noyes.

AT NASHUA

SIX HEATS PACED WITHOUT DECIDING THE RACE.

NASHUA, N. H., Aug. 4—Yesterday was free-for-all day at the fair grounds, and with a field of seven, all pacers, both the judges and the talent were given no little trouble. Six heats were paced without deciding the race. Brown Sam was considered the best choice at the opening. Gyp Walnut was looked upon favorably, and a few expected I. T. Washburn to win the race.

The Washburn horse stepped out and took the first two heats, but in the third he started badly and finished fifth, Brown Sam winning. Brown Sam also took the next heat, Washburn finishing sixth.

Star Hal's driver got into a bad mix-up with Hayden on Ben Como in the third heat. He was taken down and Fox put up. Then Burnham drove Star Hal in the fifth heat and was distanced.

The fifth heat was run off as the sun was setting, and after scoring several times the three drivers of the heat winners were warned by starter Sabert and got away. Ben Como took the pole and, although hard pressed, he took the heat as he had the previous one, in a walk. It was a fight for second between I. T. Washburn and Brown Sam, the latter finishing half a head in the lead. The horses were badly tired and did this heat in 2.24, against 2.14¾ for the second heat.

Belle Rock was picked early in the day as the winner of the 2.30 trot, but Advancer took it in straight heats, with the little mare second. Dore protested Advancer as a ringer, but the judges overruled the protest after looking up the horse.

Louise D and Red Pepper were picked in the 2.30 pace, and the former won in three straight heats.

BIG REGATTA

AMERICAN AND CANADIAN OARSMEN TO TAKE PART.

ST. CATHERINES, Ont., Aug. 4.—A large number of Canadian and American oarsmen have arrived here for the two days' regatta of the Canadian Association of Amateur Oarsmen which begun today with preliminary heats. The American visitors pinned their faith on the Detroit club and the reports of the Philadelphia Barge club. Both of these teams drew in for the trial heats today.

Warm sunshine without oppressive heat and a gentle breeze from the northwest that raised just the faintest ruffle on the surface of the course, gave the oarsmen ideal conditions.

Among the strong teams represented were the Dons, Toronto and Argonaut clubs of Toronto, Rat Portage, Ottawa and the Mutuals of Buffalo.

LOWELL MAN

RAISED A RUMPUS AT NEWTON.

A Boston paper this morning had the following regarding Joseph Welch. There are several Welches named Joseph in the Lowell directory.

Screaming that he would kill his wife and ordering the woman on penalty of being shot to accompany him, Joseph Welch, 28 years old, created a large amount of excitement in Chapel street, Newton, yesterday. He was finally arrested by Patrolman Goode.

It is believed Welch is insane and this morning he will be examined by physicians.

Welch and his wife came to Newton two days ago, walking, according to their statement, from Lowell. They took a room at the boarding house of Daniel G. Collins, 316 California street, and Mrs. Welch secured employment in the Saxony mill and her husband in the Nonantum worsted mill.

Yesterday afternoon Welch suddenly sprang out of his seat in the mill and, running out of doors, lay down on a lawn. In a few moments he rushed to the Saxony mill and ordered his wife to accompany him outside.

"I am not going to have you work here any longer," he is reported as saying. "Get your pay and come along."

She did so, but in Chapel street she became frightened and the scene followed. Patrolman Goode, who arrested him, found no weapons.

After being locked up, Welch complained of pains in his head and said he suffered from nervous prostration.

WON THE POOL

PROF. HUGH BROGAN THE STAR FISHERMAN.

A party of Lowell men went deep sea fishing on the King Philip yesterday and among them was Prof. Hugh Brogan, who made his first try as a deep sea fisherman. He fished all day, catching only a few sculpens and dog fish and was about to conclude that he was a misfit as a fisherman when a tug came at his line and in a few moments landed a seven pound cod, winning two day's pool of $9.50 on a 25 cent investment, for it so happened that the cod was the biggest fish caught by any of the 122 persons in the pool.

CHINESE BOYCOTT

Minister Barrett Makes An Inquiry

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 4.—John Barrett, the newly appointed minister to Colombia, is here in connection with the commercial relations existing between the United States and China, particularly as regards the boycott being inaugurated by Chinese guilds against American products.

He insists, however, that his mission is not of an official character, but simply to acquaint himself with the feeling of the people of the coast as to the boycott and interview some of the merchants who are engaged in the oriental trade.

Minister Barrett, while conceding that the Chinese guilds are all powerful in their country, is of the opinion that the alarm shown by the people of this country over the action of the Chinese is unnecessarily exaggerated. He firmly believes that whatever grievances the Chinese guilds have will soon be dispelled when they are made to realize that our government is disposed to act fairly with them in the matter of immigration. He is also of the opinion that our future policy as regards the orient will depend much upon the results of the peace conference between the representatives of Japan and Russia and predicts that the next two years will witness a great change in the policy of the United States. Such a change will be attended with a noticeable improvement of our commercial relations in the far east.

NO TRACE

SEARCHING PARTIES FAIL TO FIND MISS TUCKER.

ROCHESTER, N. H., Aug. 4.—No further trace of the whereabouts of Miss Mary A. Tucker has been found by N. W. Eastman, who is in charge of the searching parties, and there is now little hope of finding the missing woman alive. Mr. Eastman sent two small bodies of men into Maine today, Berwick and Lebanon being the objective points.

If the efforts of the searchers prove unsuccessful today, Mr. Eastman has planned to conduct the search Saturday and Sunday on the most extensive scale yet attempted. Arrangements are being made for the employment of at least two hundred men who will be taken to the Lebanon woods. They will be stationed close together and will search every foot of the forest where Mr. Eastman now believes Miss Tucker is now lying dead.

OLD STATUARY

BOUGHT BY THE MUSEUM OF ARTS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—The Metropolitan Museum of Art has purchased in Paris, according to announcement made yesterday, a piece of statuary believed to be more than 1600 years old. The work is a bronze image of Caius Vibius Trebonianus Gallus, one of the emperors of Rome and was dug up near San Giovanni Laterano about fifty years ago by Prince Demidoff, the Russian archaeologist, who was then making excavations with the permission of Pope Pius IX. The bronze when found was in excellent state of preservation.

THE NORWEGIAN THRONE.

COPENHAGEN, Aug. 4.—Crown Prince Gustave of Sweden arrived here today to discuss with King Christian the question of the Norwegian throne.

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LATEST

ALL TRAINS STOPPED

Stringent Steps to Prevent Spread of Yellow Fever

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 4—Extreme measures which some of the country districts are taking to guard themselves from yellow fever threaten to stop train service and may bring the federal government into the fever situation in the south. The most radical action thus far taken, is that of the police board of Calcasia, the second largest parish in the state. It has ordered that all traffic between Calcasia and points east, north and west, shall cease at once and that no one shall be permitted to enter the limits of the parish until further orders. As a result the Southern Pacific has been ordered from today to run no more trains through Calcasia, which means an abandonment of the through service of the line to the west. The Watkins trains and the Kansas City Southern trains have also been stopped. It is understood that the quarantine in a day or two will be extended to all freight trains. The effect of the orders is to stop all mail service into or through Calcasieu.

Rapides has shut her doors to everything except mail and fuel oil. At Mermentau, La., shots were exchanged between guards and a negro, who was trying to run the quarantine. Grant Parish has instituted a shot-gun quarantine and LaFayette, La., has issued orders that only mail and disinfected freight shall come into that parish. Precautions as radical as these have been taken in many other sections and there is apparently as great a panic now prevailing as at any time during 1897, the bulk of the country laymen refusing to put their faith in the mosquito theory.

Although the report of 54 new cases in the proceeding 24 hours would ordinarily have a tendency to cause alarm here, people here find assurance in an analysis of the detailed report, made by the board of health. It is shown that of the 54 cases, 29 were rooted out of concealment by Surgeon Richardson of the Marine hospital service and his assistants. The area of infection is increasing below Canal street, but the disease is makng feeble progress above.

The exodus from Louisiana towns where fever has appeared continues. At Alexandria, as a result of a mild case there, one hundred citizens chartered a special train to leave there today.

Archbishop Chappelle has returned to the city from a tour through Louisiana and expresses deep concern over the state of the public health. He will issue a pastoral letter giving his advice to meet the emergency.

There is great suffering on the part of those who are fleeing from the country districts of North Louisiana. Two thousand refugees were compelled to remain in their trains at Jonesboro, Ark. The trains were surrounded by state troops.

So hurriedly had the trains been made up that no provisions had been made for food and water and the refugees were hungry and famished but their appeals for food were refused. The unfortunate passengers including many women and children were nodt permitted to put their heads out of the windows to get a breath of fresh air.

NO MOSQUITOES

NO YELLOW FEVER SAY HEALTH AUTHORITIES.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—The public health and marine hospital service has issued a circular on the prevention of yellow fever. The directions given look to the suppression of the mosquito as the only means of preventing its spread. No mosquitoes, no yellow fever, is the motto announced in big black letters at the top of the circular.

The document continues as follows:

"The infection of yellow fever is carried by mosquitoes, and by no other means is the infection spread.

"Persons take the disease by being bitten by mosquitoes that have previously bitten a yellow fever patient.

"The mosquitoes to become infected must bite a yellow fever patient during the first three days of his attack. These first three days, therefore, are the most important time for preventing the access of mosquitoes to a fever patient.

"It is often difficult to decide during the first three days whether a patient has yellow fever; hence the necessity in threatened communities of placing a mosquito bar immediately around every patient who has fever of any kind, and for three days at least."

The necessity of draining and screening is dwelt upon with much emphasis.

The post office department is sending 15,000 copies of the circular to poor offices in Louisiana, Texas, Mississippi, Tennessee, Alabama, Florida and Arkansas.

IN MEMPHIS

NO SUSPICIOUS CASES REPORTED THERE.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Aug. 4—Dr. Marcus Haas, secretary of the board of health last night said that no suspicious fever exists in this city. He said a careful investigation had been made into reports of fever at other places. Arkansas too, he said, is entirely free from the disease, the suspicious case at Texarkana had been officially diagnosed as malarial fever.

NEGRO ARRAIGNED.

SOUTH FRAMINGHAM, Mass. Aug. 4.—A special meeting of the district court was held in the Framingham hospital today for the purpose of hearing the case of John Lewis, the negro who is charged with breaking and entering the home of William Cozzens and attempting to assault Miss Mabel Cozzens.

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3 Mohair Traveling Coats, were $10, this sale $5.00
4 Linen Traveling Coats, were $7.50, this sale $3.75
3 Bathing Suits, were $4, this sale $2.50
10 White and Linen Colored Suits, cont and skirt, were $3.98, this sale $2.50
4 Long Silk Coats, were $12.50, now $5.98
Children's Wash Dresses, were 75c, now 29c
Children's Wash Dresses, were $1.25, now 75c

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STOCK MARKET

Today's Quotations on Active Stocks

The following are the closing quotations of today's stock market for active stocks:

BOSTON STOCKS.

Adventure	5¾
Amalgamated	83⅞
American Wool	37¼
American Wool pfd	103½
Am Tel & Tel	138¾
Arcadia	27⅞
Atlantic	18¾
Anaconda	115½
Allouez	34
American Agriculture	23
American Agriculture pfd	91
B & M	178
Bingham	31¾
Boston	8⅛
Calumet & Hecla	675
Centennial	22¾
Chicago Junction	171
Chicago Junction pfd	126
Copper Range	70½
Dom Steel	24
Dom Coal	79
Dom Coal pfd	116
Daly-West	14⅛
Elm	27⅞
Franklin	13
Granby	7⅝
Greene	24⅝
Mass	9½
Mass Gas	46⅞
Mass Gas pfd	87
Mass Electric	18
Mass Electric pfd	61½
Michigan	11⅝
Mohawk	55⅞
Mex Tel	1⅜
N E Tel	136
Osceola	109¼
N Y, N H & H R R	202
Old Colony Mine	1¼
Old Colony R R	206¼
Old Dominion	28
Shannon	7⅝
Shoe Machinery	75⅞
Shoe Machinery pfd	33
Royal	22⅛
Rhode Island	3
Tamarack	123
Parrott	26
Quincy	103
Sante Fe	2⅛
Trinity	8⅝
United Fruit	106⅞
United States Oil	10¾
United States	34⅝
Utah	46
Victoria	4¼
Winona	12¼
Wolverine	120
Western Tel	17½
Western Tel pfd	98
Western Tel 5s	104¾
United Cop	32½
United Cop pfd	78¼

*Ex-Dividend.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Am. Sugar	142½
Am. Sugar pfd	139½
A & T	87
A & T pfd	102½
B & O	114¾
B & O pfd	99¾
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	70
Chi & Gt W	20½
C M & St P	180⅞
C R & P	31⅝
C R & P pfd	77
Con. Gas	192½
Del & Hud	197½
Erie R R	47¼
Erie 1st	84
Erie 2d	74¼
Gen Elec	178
Manhattan Con	166¾
Met St Ry	127¾
Mis Pac	100¼
N Y Cent	147⅛
N Y Ont & W	53
Penn	143¼
Mex Cen	22¾
Peaple's-Gas	107
So Pac	65
So Pac pfd	117¾
Reading	106½
Reading pfd	91
Tex & Pac	33½
Union Pac	130⅞
Union Pac pfd	98¼
U S Steel	35¾
U S Steel pfd	101⅝
Wabash	19¼
Wabash pfd	40
W U Telegraph	93½
Central Leather	43⅝
Central Leather pfd	105

UNKNOWN MAN WHO STEPPED IN FRONT OF AN ELECTRIC CAR AT LAKEVIEW.

KILLED BY CAR

Unknown Man Killed Near Lakeview

Stepped in Front of a Nashua Car—His Body Was Badly Mangled—The Remains Are at O'Donnell's

An unknown man was killed by an in-bound Nashua electric car last night about 11.15 o'clock just the other side of Lakeview park. The accident happened almost directly in front of the Fels summer home, and when the man's body was picked up from under the car it was found to be horribly mangled. There is little doubt that the victim was bent upon self-destruction as he seemed to throw himself in front of the car which was going at a fairly good rate of speed.

The car was in charge of Conductor John Conley and Motorman Orrin Connell. The car had just made the curve near the side entrance to Mountain Rock grove when Motorman Connell saw a man walking up the road. The motorman sounded the bell and the man seemed to edge away from the track, and when the motorman saw that the man had noticed the car, he he let on a little more power.

Just before the car reached the spot the man apparently threw himself between the rails. The motorman applied the emergency brakes and reversed the power, but it was impossible to stop the car instantly and the man's body in a moment was under the trucks.

There were many people on the car, and those near the front saw the motorman throw off the power suddenly, and heard him cry "I have run over a man."

The car was stopped at once and the body taken from the trucks. The passengers were transferred to another car, and the body brought in all haste to meet the ambulance.

Those who saw the accident were utterly unnerved.

Officers Cole and Donahue at Lakeview report that they kept watch of a person at Lakeview all day who acted suspiciously, but the descriptions of the two men differ in many respects and the probabilities are that the victim is a different person.

Despite the fact that there was scarcely any hope of resuscitating the injured man, word was telephoned to Lowell and the ambulance summoned. When the ambulance met the car the body was taken to St. John's hospital where upon examination it was found that life was extinct. The body was then removed to the funeral parlors of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

There was nothing about the man by which his identity could be revealed, though some tattoo marks on his arms may eventually lead to his identification.

He appeared to be a man of 35 or 37 years of age, weighed about 160 pounds and had light brown hair and moustache. He wore a new suit, of a gray plaid, and a golf cap. The most distinguishing marks were the tattoo marks on his arms which were as follows: Right arm, outside, triple heart, with a crescent above; inside, a shield, with the letter "J;" left arm, a sailor's head with a palm leaf above, and also a wish bone. The suit which he wore was absolutely new, so that nothing could be learned from that. The general appearance of the man was that he was well-to-do.

The body was terribly mutilated. Both arms and legs were severed from the body, and the neck was broken. In fact nearly every bone in the body was broken.

BUILDING NOTES

Continued.

While the parishioners of the church are cramped in their present quarters in the basement, they can well afford to wait for the revelation in beauty that will be accomplished in the finished edifice.

The big brick block being erected by Contractor Patrick O'Hearn at the corner of Jefferson and Market streets, is closed in and the plasterers are putting on the finishing touches. The carpenters are at work also and expect to finish their work in a short time. They will be followed by the window platers and sash makers and it will not be long before the place will be ready for occupancy. This building, when completed, will be one of the finest buildings in ward two.

The Gregoire building in Jefferson street is nearing completion. The carpenters started at work yesterday morning finishing the interior work, while the window sashes and glass are being placed in the building. This building will also soon be ready to move for six tenants.

P. F. Welch is putting in two steam boilers for Mr. Dearth of Gage street and one for Mr. Harvey at the corner of B and Wilder streets.

A. E. Fletcher & Co. of West Chelmsford have the contract for the foundation and grading of the different buildings of the new Shaw Machine company. The contractors will commence operations at once, as they have but 25 days in which to complete their work. The work will be pushed ahead as fast as possible and an endeavor will be made to finish it inside of the time limit of the contract.

The house which Contractor Bassett is erecting at the corner of Humphrey and Seventeenth street has been closed in and the carpenters are now at work on the interior of the building. A portion of the sides of the house, down to the first story, has been shingled, the lower part to be clapboarded. The house will be ready for occupancy inside of a month.

Contractor A. F. Rabeour has completed the stable in the rear of his new residence at 984 Bridge street, corner of Richardson street. It is a one-story building 20 by 30 feet.

Markos Stamas is making an alteration to his building at 72-74-76 Suffolk street by installing a store on the ground floor.

Mr. T. G. Waller is having a dwelling house erected in Princeton street near the corner of Edson. The building, when completed, will be 41 feet front and 37 feet in the rear and extend back 53 feet, two and a half stories high with a pitch roof. It will contain all of the latest conveniences and will cost about $4000.

Edmund Traversey is erecting a three tenement house in Ennell street, near the corner of West Sixth street. It will be 21 by 50 feet and one and a half stories high and will cost $2000.

The work on the Ennell street school is progressing rapidly. The greater part of the foundation has been installed and a few of the brick masons are at work, but the brick work will not be formally commenced for several weeks, at which time it is expected that the stone foundation work will be completed.

Charles Griffin is erecting a two-story dwelling house in Chelmsford street near the corner of A street. The building has a frontage of 25 feet and extends back 40 feet. The frame has been closed in and the carpenters are now at work doing the exterior and interior work.

Thomas J. Husband is tearing down his house at 31 Clark street to make room for a 3-tenement house which J. S. Roach will erect for him. The house, when completed, will be 25 by 50 feet, 2½ stories high and will cost about $3500.

The new house of Mr. James Miskella in Hanks street has been closed in and the work of finishing it will be pushed ahead rapidly. This is a two tenement house. It will have hardwood floors throughout.

The foundation of James A. Murphy's house on Hanks street is well under way. The frame work will soon be set up.

The old Wheeler building which was located near the Middlesex street station and which was moved through the streets to Lincoln street reached its destination yesterday. The building was purchased by C. P. Salls, the well known teamster. While passing through Chelmsford street the house interfered with the traffic of the cars, but Contractor Rickey who had the work in hand hoisted the house through the street as fast as possible.

The bottom flooring of the new Mathews building in Dutton street is laid and Contractor Conlon has a gang of bricklayers at work.

The storage shed which Thomas J. McDonald is building at the corner of Dutton and Fletcher streets is nearly completed.

The foundation is nearly completed for the two story wooden building which is to be erected on the site of the old Livingston building in the rear of the Richardson hotel.

The work on the new Appleton mill is progressing rapidly and the brick work is up several stories on the canal side. On the other side however, a portion of the foundation remains to be finished after which the brick work will be started. The canal side of the building is being finished first.

There will soon be two new houses on Andover street that will add to the beauty of that already attractive thoroughfare. Dr. Reuben J. Meigs is building a fine residence just below Park street. F. H. Shedd who has a reputation as a builder is also erecting a new house which when finished will equal any on that street. This house is on the site formerly occupied by the H. H. Shattuck house. The foundation is to be entirely of Portland cement as will also be the cellar. In this respect it will be the only house of the kind in Lowell. Mr. Shedd is also remodelling the old H. H. Shattuck house on a new site. When the contractor shall have completed the work it will be difficult to discover any semblance to the old structure.

P. J. O'Brien's house on High street is almost ready for the shingles.

Statistics of building operations in New England compiled by the F. W. Dodge company:

Contracts awarded January 1, 1905 to date	$61,316,600
Contracts awarded corresponding period 1904	49,275,600
Contracts awarded corresponding period 1903	65,762,600
Contracts awarded corresponding period 1902	56,924,600
Contracts awarded corresponding period 1901	69,324,600
Contracts awarded week ending July 26, 1905	2,578,600
Contracts awarded corresponding period 1904	1,546,600
Contracts awarded corresponding period 1903	2,541,600
Contracts awarded corresponding period 1902	2,401,600
Contracts awarded corresponding period 1901	1,790,600

REAL ESTATE

SALES FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 4th, 1905.

LOWELL.

Philenia Abbott et al. to Young Women's Christian association, the J. C. Abbott estate on Page and John streets, $1,800.

Mary S. Haworth to E. Victor Bigelow, land with buildings on Columbus avenue, $1.

Amos F. Hill to E. T. Wilder and Jesse J. Smith, commissioners, to Elizabeth O'Neil, land with buildings on Carter Place, $1305.

Elmer H. White to Walter L. Parker, land on Rea street, $1.

John M. Dunfey to David Pendleton, land with buildings on Crawford street, $1.

Frederick W. Ela to Chas H. McIntire, the H. H. Shattuck block, John and Lee streets, $1.

Geo. S. Butters et al. to Harvey B. Green, land on Parker street, $1.

Amos F. Hill et al., commissioners, to Walter F. Thissell, land with buildings on Lyon street, $3500.

Vital Robert to Marie L. Boucher, land with buildings on Fifth avenue, $1.

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Elizabeth F. Ryan to Joseph A. Legare, land on Lawrence street, $1.

Benjamin G. Brown to Fred G. McGregor, land with buildings on Edwards street, $1.

Marietta Crevier to Madeline H. Crevier, land on Green street, $1.

Marietta Crevier to Peter A. Fay, land with buildings on Branch place, $1.

Amos F. Hill to E. T. Wilder and Jesse J. Smith, commissioners, to William Myers, land with buildings on Carter place, $3565.

Owen McCann to John and Sarah Keating, land with buildings on Kinsman street, $1.

Amos F. Hill et al. commissioners to Walter F. Thissell, land with buildings cor Chestnut and High streets, $3315.

George Green to Joseph A. Legare, land on Joiners court, $1.

Mary Murphy to Joseph A. Legare, land on Joiners court.

Mary McCarty to Joseph A. Legare, land on Clark's court, $1.

BILLERICA.

Ella J. Hemick, adm., to James P. Robinson, the Hulda C. Stackpole estate, $2000.

WILMINGTON.

Mary A. Jeens to Julia H. A. Crockett, the Frances B. Hiller homestead, $1.

John C. B. Bryant to George W. Morton, land at Home Park, $1.

James G. Eames to J. Allen Eames, wood lot, $1.

TEWKSBURY.

Albert B. Cawthra to W. H. Hodgson, land on Lawrence street, $1.

Clarance E. and Mary A. Clark to George P. Dawson, land in North Tewksbury, $1.

DRACUT.

Arthur Lyman, trustee, to Julius M. Brok, land at Kenwood, $1.

DUKE'S OWN

GET PERMIT TO VISIT THE STATES.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4—The state department today telegraphed the British ambassador and the American consul general at Ottawa that the governors of New Hampshire, Vermont and Massachusetts have formally consented to passage through those states for the forty third Canadian regiment (The Duke of Cornwall's Own) who are now in Ottawa awaiting to proceed to visit Boston and Providence. The only restriction is in the case of Massachusetts, where the state law of 1902 prohibits the assembly of visiting troops for drill or parade. The telegram to the British ambassador was addressed to him both at New York and the summer home of the ambassador at Lenox.

Peculiar Disappearance.

J. D. Runyan, of Butlerville, O., laid the peculiar disappearance of his painful symptoms, of indigestion and biliousness, to Dr. King's New Life Pills. He says: "They are a perfect remedy, for dizziness, sour stomach, headache, constipation, etc." Guaranteed at Goodale's drug store, 217 Central st., price 25c.

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FOR THE GOOD OF LOWELL

AMEND THE CITY CHARTER

The city of Lowell has outgrown its charter. This fact has been evident for a long time. At various times attempts have been made to revise the charter, but without beneficial result.

Perhaps the worst defect in the charter is, that while it creates certain municipal departments, it does not centre responsibility for the work of those departments. The consequence is, that abuses creep into the departments and neither the mayor nor the city council has power to stamp them out.

To overcome this defect the mayor should have the power to appoint all heads of departments and members of commissions and to remove them at his discretion. Under this arrangement if anything went wrong the people could look to the mayor for a prompt remedy. If he failed to act then the people could denounce him as recreant to his trust and could retire him at the ensuing election.

The present arrangement encourages graft and corruption and while it remains in force the people themselves must be held partly responsible for whatever abuses are found in the departments. What is the remedy? Simply change the city charter so as to give the mayor the power of appointment and removal. Then hold him strictly accountable for results.

THE BALTIC A MARE CLAUSUM.

It is supposed that the German emperor is vain enough and bold enough to indulge the idea of making the Baltic a mare clausum or closed sea, viz., one which no warship could enter.

The czar would readily approve of such a scheme but neither Russia nor Germany has a navy big enough to carry out such an edict. If they cannot do it, certainly Sweden and Denmark, the other two interested parties, cannot be expected to do it. Therefore the proposition which is supposed to have formed a portion of the discussion at the recent conference of the two emperors is practically impossible.

They had better abandon the idea if they have seriously contemplated such a course.

A STUDY IN IMMIGRATION FIGURES.

The past fiscal year has broken the record for immigration, the total number who came to cast their lot amongst us being 1,027,421. The nearest approach to this number was in 1904 when 812,870 immigrants entered the country through the various ports. That was 214,651 less than the total for the present year. The total for 1903 was 857,046, for 1902 648,743.

The proportion coming from each of the contributing nations has not varied very much during the past two years. The number from each country last year was as follows:

Austria, Hungary	275,693	Ireland	52,945
France	10,168	Scotland	16,977
Germany	40,676		
Greece	10,515	Total Europe	974,298
Italy	221,479		
Norway	25,064	Total Asia	24,817
Russian Empire	184,897	Other countries	28,306
Sweden	26,591		
England	64,732	Grand total	1,027,421

It is interesting to study the immigration figures for some time past and to note the high and low tides in the human stream that sets hither from the old world.

During the decade from 1880 to 1890 the average yearly immigration was 520,000; during the next decade which included the panic years of 1893 and 1894 the average per year was only 351,000. Since 1899, owing to the recurrence of good times, the average has been 713,760 a year.

The low water mark was reached in 1898 when the total was 229,299 and the highest record previous to 1903 was in 1882 when 788,992 immigrants were added to the population.

The total immigration since 1820 was 22,032,905, about one-fifth of which have come in the past six years. This vast influx has set mainly from six countries as follows:

Great Britain	7,286,357	China (mostly between 1853 and 1883)	291,455
Germany	5,187,094	Switzerland	220,269
Italy	2,000,252	Netherlands	146,168
Austria (all since 1861)	1,971,431	Japan (all since 1893)	83,909
Scandinavia	1,740,722	All other countries	2,059,636
Russia	1,452,629		
France	428,894		

The immigration set down in this table from Great Britain came mainly from Ireland; England came next, then Germany whose emigration to this country was heaviest in the early 50's. At present the countries of Southern Europe take the lead.

It will be seen that Austria, Hungary, Italy and the Russian empire have furnished the largest numbers during the past year and the same was true for the previous year. Some people may complain that these immigrants are not of the desirable class, that the country would be better without them, but such is not the case. They may cling to their old country customs and may not assimilate very well with our conglomerate population but they fill an important place in building railroads, in mining coal, iron and other metals as well as in clearing away the forests, pulling up the roots and preparing new land for cultivation. The refined American citizen is not much good at this particular line of work, although he may make a very good boss over the men. If there is work for these men to do then they are needed. If they found no work to do then they would make their way back to their native land. They bring here physical strength and endurance which we need quite as much as they need our education and enlightenment.

SEEN AND HEARD

A quiet wedding was held Wednesday afternoon in the grocery store of Maj. D. E. Proctor, at Wilton, N. H., the genial major being the official acting as justice of the peace, and performing the ceremony.

The contracting parties were Nathan A. Gage, 60 years, and Mrs. Fannie E. Johnson, aged 40 years, both of New Boston. This is Mr. Gage's first venture of the kind, while the bride can boast of three conquests.

Town Constable Thomas Coley was the only witness. Major Proctor was selected, it is said, on account of a long standing friendship between the parties. After making a few calls on other friends, the happy couple drove to their home on the hilltop.

The deer nuisance and the state law protecting the animals to this end, was again brought to the attention of the state authorities yesterday, in a letter from a Greenfield farmer, says the Manchester, N. H., Union, addressed to the secretary of state. The Greenfield man complains that the deer in his neighborhood have utterly ruined his one and one-quarter-acre garden, destroying beets, turnips, peas, and have begun to eat the potato crops. All efforts to keep them out of the garden have proved futile and the farmer asks the secretary of state how he can protect himself from the deer that are destroying his means of livelihood. This is only one of many complaints of this kind that have been heard from in one way or another, but the law forbids injuring the deer.

The close season on brook or speckled trout began yesterday in all the lower counties of New Hampshire, and will continue until the first of April. In Coos, Carroll and Grafton counties trout may be taken during the month of August, but the season was a month later in opening in that section of the state. The penalty for taking a trout during the close season is a fine and imprisonment not exceeding six months, or both. Old fishermen say that the trout have suffered badly during the past season, as the brooks have been low and some of the smaller streams have been "skinned" by professional fishermen.

"I had a funny one thrown at me the other day," remarked the man whose hobby is conundrums and puzzling questions. "A kid nephew of mine asked me what color it is that we never eat.

"I thought it over a good long time before I got the answer. The color is blue. Has it ever struck you that among the varied foods we eat one may find every color from red to violet, except blue? Even black comes in for notice in truffles, caviar and such. Candied violets are of course of the proper hue, and we all eat the tomato, the orange, the green pepper, the raspbery and an infinite variety of things variously hued. Bluefish is blue in name only, and the blueberries one gets in the city are black. I can't remember eating anything genuinely blue."

"Strange to me," said the man with the olvie green stone in his ring, "that jewelers do not make more use of the jade. It's one of the prettiest and quietest settings for men's rings, watch fobs and large stick pins that I know of. It comes in many shades, but to me the olive green is the handsomest. I do not think there is a setting that can be had at moderate price that approaches it for color, wear and subdued elegance. Bracelets made from the solid stone are extremely handsome, but rather expensive.

"Jade is a highly prized stone in China, and is used for all sorts of artistic purposes. There are many priceless jade ornaments in the royal palaces in China, and much jewelry is made from the stone for imperial ornament."

The fashion of trimming shaggy haired dogs for the summer has produced some wierd looking beasts. A stately St. Bernard is short of all his dignity save the fur on his massive head, the unhappy Maltese terrier looks like a good sized pink rat with white hair on his head, and the much doctored and decorated poodles are made to show their skin and bone in a shameless fashion. Almost any good breed of dog looks nondescript when shorn of his hair. The process undoubtedly makes him more comfortable, but he looks wretched just the same.

POLITICAL NOTES.

"George Fred Williams," the Atlanta Journal (dem.) notes, "is taking a prominent part in Massachusetts democratic affairs once more. It's hard on those Bay State democrats t ohave a hoodoo turn up just as they get where they can do something."

In discussing the tariff as an impediment to trust-smashing, the Kansas City Star (ind.) speaks of the linseed oil monopoly, which is assisted by the prohibitive duty on flaxseed, and adds pertinently: "The government carefully binds its hands behind its back with the tariff and then wonders why it makes such poor progress in smashing the trusts."

The South Bend (Ind.) Tribune thinks that Gov. Mickel of Nebraska, in insisting upon it that his appointees shall neither drink, smoke, nor swear, is merely improving upon the example set by Gov. Hanley of Indiana. "This stand of the strict governors," the Tribune adds, "will be criticised as too extreme, but the time is ripe for a change of this kind that will give the men of unclean habits notice that they must not expect to be leaders or servants of the public unless they reform."

"The moral effect most obvious in the sentencing of Senator Mitchell," says the Baltimore News (ind.), "and the one most generally pointed out, is that it will serve as a warning and deterrent to other senators and men in high office generally. But a far more important consequence, we judge, is to be found in a strengthening of the general sense of justice, and the help that every such conclusion gives to the maintenance of right standards of honesty and honor in the public mind."

Noting other similarities between the developing scandals in the agricultural department in Washington and the postoffice scandals a while ago, the Springfield Republican (ind.) suggests: "In the postal frauds, the president finally took the matter out of the hands of Postmaster-General Payne and ordered Mr. Bristow 'to go to the bottom.' Another Bristow is now needed to ransack the department of agriculture for thieves and rascals. An investigation independent of the secretary should be held; and why should not the secretary himself request one?"

For how many years was Gray engaged in writing one poem, "The Elegy in a Country Churchyard?"

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COTTON CROP

TEMPERATURE TOO LOW FOR BEST RESULTS.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—The weekly summary of crop conditions issued by the weather bureau says:

During the week ending July 31 the Ohio valley and northern portions of the middle Atlantic states and New England experienced temperature too low for best results, but elsewhere the temperature conditions were favorable. Rains interfered with farm work in the Missouri valley, northeastern Texas and in parts of the lower Ohio valley and east gulf coast districts, while rain is needed in Georgia, portions of Florida and northern Mississippi, northern Illinois, Ohio and northern New Jersey.

In the Ohio valley the growth of corn has been somewhat checked by cool weather, but elsewhere in the principal corn states this crop has made excellent progress. Throughout the Atlantic coast districts a fine crop is indicated. In Tennessee, Arkansas, Indian Territory and northern Texas the condition of corn is not so promising. Threshing of witer wheat has been interrupted by wet weather in southern Illinois and portions of the Missouri valley and middle Atlantic states, but elsewhere this work has advanced satisfactorily. Winter wheat harvest is finished except a small portion of the crop in Michigan and New York.

Spring wheat harvest is in progress in Nebraska, Iowa and the southern portions of South Dakota and Minnesota. This crop has made favorable progress, no rust damage being reported except from scattered fields in South Dakota, where smut and blight are also prevalent to some extent. Late spring wheat was materially damaged in Washington by hot winds on the preceding week, but the early crop escaped injury. Harvest is general in Oregan, with about the average yield and quality. Oat harvest has progressed favorably, and is now becoming general in the more northerly states. With the exception of some damage to harvested oats in Missouri, Oklahoma, Texas and Virginia, the reports respecting this crop are highly favorable.

Some improvement in the conditions of cotton over most of Texas is indicated, and while too rank growth and unsatisfactory fruiting are reported from Oklahoma, Arkansas, Louisiana and Mississippi, general but slight improvement is always shown in these states. In Alabama the crop has generally deteriorated; in Georgia it is fruiting rapidly where sufficient rains have occurred, but in other localities of that state rain is badly needed, and shedding, rust and black root are prevalent. Too rank growth and shedding are also reported from Tennessee, the Carolinas and Florida, in which states no improvement is indicated, except on clay lands in South Carolina, while on sandy lands in that state the crop has deteriorated.

In Maryland and Virginia tobacco is not doing well, although some improvement is reported from the latter state. An improvement is also reported from Kentucky, where, however, the crop is in need of cultivation and has suffered from rain and hail in the northern portion. In the other tobacco states the outlook is favorable.

With but few exceptions the reports indicate a very light crop of apples.

Haying has been retarded in portions of Iowa, North Dakota and Virginia, but reports generally indicate that a good crop of hay has been largely secured.

CYCLE NEWS.

"Major" Taylor, the negro sprinter, is out of the game for all time, according to his own statements. His retirement is not of the usual order. As will be recalled, he signed a contract last spring with Beyer and Coquelle, the French promoters, to ride a specified number of races in Europe this season against any riders the Parisian managers saw fit to pit against him.

When Taylor learned that Kramer was also going abroad there was a hitch at once. Taylor was taken ill—the doctor's certificate said so—and he stayed home. Forthis breach the French Cycling association had the negro suspended, and asked the National Cycling association to do the same. This was done last week, but it now appears that a certain promoter who claims New York city as his home, is very anxious to have Taylor's suspension removed. The French promoters say they are willing to withdraw the charges against the negro sprinter if he will send them a check for $1000, which is about one-fifth the amount they claim they lost by Taylor's breach of contract. But Taylor says he doesn't care a rap, that he will not pay the thousand, and adds that he is through with bicycle racing forever. In view of these assertions, the solicitude of the New York promoter appears at least "passing strange."

What two eminent Englishmen most strongly upheld the Union cause during the American Civil War?

Look in the Stoddard Lectures and find out

TANS TANS TANS

Great Slaughter in Tan Shoes

We are going to receive a large shipment of our fall goods and to make room for them we have decided to dispose of all our tan shoes at less than cost, and give our customers the benefit of our loss.

These goods are all this season's product, made by the most reliable factories in the country, and these facts ought to assure you that this sale offers you genuine bargains. Don't miss this great chance to shoe yourself with an up-to-date pair of tan shoes at a marvelously low price. Come and examine them!

We are agents for the Douglas Shoe and we carry 35 distinct lines of this shoe in all leathers, Box Calf, Wax Calf, Patent Colt, Vici Kid and Enamel, prices $2.00, $2.50, $3.00, $3.50, $4.00 and $5.00. Our "Molders Special" is undoubtedly the best shoe of its kind manufactured, as the leather is tanned by a special process and it cannot burn. We are Sole Agents for the Wooden Sole Clog for dye houses and other wet places.

Our ladies' shoes are guaranteed to fit and wear and we always take the utmost pains to have them up-to-date.

See our "Little Ripper Shoe" for boys. This shoe is made from a heavy oil grain and it refuses to wear out.

Union Shoe Store

J. D. HALEY, Proprietor.

38 GORHAM ST. OPP. P. O.

SUDDEN DEATH

Hannah Gilman Found Dead in Room

Mrs. Hannah Gilman was found dead in bed at her home, 90 Appleton street, yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock. Medical Examiner Irish was notified shortly after the body was discovered and after an examination stated that he was of the opinion that death resulted from natural causes.

The body was discovered by a friend of the deceased, Mrs. J. N. Mitchell, who happened to go in about 4 o'clock.

It was at first thought that the woman might have been the victim of foul play, but Dr. Irish said that death was probably due to heart failure.

The deceased was 70 years old, and leaves a sister, Mrs. Baker, who is an inmate of the Old Ladies' home. Undertaker Weinbeck took charge of the body.

CHILD HURT

FELL FROM WAGON WHILE RIDING.

Julia Fiske, the three-year-old daughter of Josiah F. Fiske, had a narrow escape from being killed yesterday afternoon shortly before five o'clock. The little girl had been with her mother driving in a carriage and was standing on the seat when the horse suddenly started, throwing her from the carriage.

The little girl struck on her head and was quite severely bruised about the face and chin. Her teeth also penetrated her lip. She was taken to a nearby drug store, where Dr. Meagher attended her. It is hoped she will soon recover.

LAWYER WEIL

HEARING ON QUESTION OF HIS DISBARMENT.

BOSTON, Aug. 4.—The proceeding of the Bar association of Boston for the disbarment of George L. Weil was heard by Judge Fessenden in the superior court Wednesday afternoon. Weil, who is 47 years old, was admitted to the Essex bar in November, 1882, and subsequently moved to Boston. He was a trial justice at North Andover several years ago.

The charges are based upon alleged misconduct. The petition, pending since 1901, was heard by Boyd B. Jones as a commissioner, whose findings the court dealt with yesterday. Weil claims that no intent to defraud was shown by the evidence, and that there is no ground for disbarment.

NIGHT IN BOAT

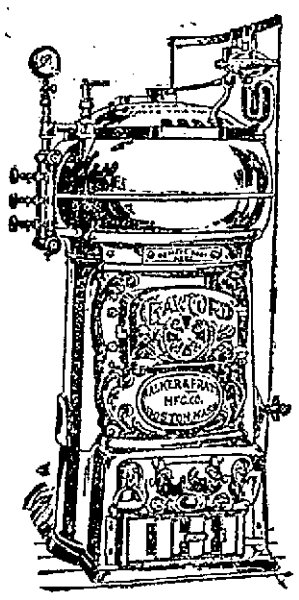
EAST BOSTON BOYS HAD TRYING EXPERIENCE.

BOSTON, Aug. 4.—James Davidson, the 9-year-old East Boston boy, who had been missing from his home, 8 West Eagle street, since early Wednesday morning, returned yesterday afternoon, after a most trying experience in a rowboat in company with another youngster.

Wednesday morning the Davidson boy and Willie Russell, who resides on Brooks street, secured a boat at one of the Border street wharves. For about an hour they rowed about the water front and then headed for the harbor. They don't know how far they went, but when it came dark Wednesday night they thought they were about two miles off Deer Island. They endeavored to turn the boat round and make for home, but the current was so strong that this was impossible.

In the boat was a large stone, which the boys tied to a rope from the stern and used as an anchor. Thoroughly exhausted they went to sleep in the boat and did not awake till daylight.

Refreshed after a night's sleep the "anchor" was pulled in and the boys got started for home. When they were off, Winthrop young Davidson suggested that they pull in there, and there he left Russell. Davidson walked from Winthrop to his home, some five miles, reaching there yesterday afternoon pretty exhausted. He had nothing to eat since early Wednesday morning. His people were almost frantic over his absence.



Crawford Boiler

A man who used this boiler all last winter has this to say about it:

"I find it easy of management, very ready and quick to work and I think more economical than any boiler I ever used. It is a pleasure to work one of them."

The above is a quotation from "Encore," a little book you must read if you are interested in heating.

Call or send for it.

The H. R. Barker Mfg. Co.

158-170 Middle St., Lowell, Mass.

FOR NEW BOILER

Bids Identical and Contract Not Awarded

Six local firms submitted bids for the contract for a new boiler at the Butler Grammar school yesterday afternoon. The bids were opened by Superintendent John J. O'Connor of the public building department in the presence of Mayor Casey and representatives of the Carroll Bros. and the H. R. Barker Manufacturing company. Two of the bids were identical. They were the lowest bids and because both were the same the contract was not awarded and cannot be until some understanding is reached by the bidders.

Either the H. R. Barker Manufacturing company or Welch Bros. will get the job, or perhaps the job may be split up between them. Both firms figured the job at $1185. The figuring was unusually close. The next lowest bid was $225, and there were two at this figure submitted by Carroll Bros. and Patrick F. Welch. The highest figures were $1271, submitted by Farrell & Conaton, and Edward Meloy was next with $1270.

Superintendent O'Connor said he would arrange for a conference between the two lowest bidders and hopes to have the matter settled between them. He said last evening that it wouldn't be fair to reopen the bidding.

FORGERY CHARGE

Alleged Swindler is Under Arrest

CHICAGO, Aug. 4—Charged with swindling merchants in 21 cities out of thousands of dollars, Norman E. Roberts, alleged money order raiser and forger was arrested yesterday at a sub-postal station. He was a salesman until a few months ago and is 27 years old.

Roberts' alleged method has not differed from that of several other swindlers, including one woman who have been sent to the penitentiary from Chicago, within the last three years for raising orders and cashing them at small stores.

Roberts' itinerary included New York, Boston, Providence, Pawtucket, Woonsocket, R. I., New London, Ct., and other eastern cities.

GLADYS LAWSON

IS ENGAGED TO EBEN B. STANWOOD.

BOSTON, Aug. 4—At an informal gathering to be held today at Dreamwold, the country estate of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lawson, the announcement will be made of the engagement of their eldest daughter, Gladys, to Eben Blaine Stanwood of Beacon street, Boston.

Only two months ago Miss Gladys was received into membership in the Vincent club, her sister, Marian, joining the exclusive organization at the same time. This led friends of the young woman to believe that she was to be counted among the bachelor girls for some time to come.

Miss Lawson first became known to the general public when she acted as sponsor for the Independence. Since then she has become quite well known to the general public and a favorite in social circles. She is fond of animals and of outdoor sports, as is her fiance, and together they have been often seen galloping over the estate at Egypt. Her favorite is Gypsy Queen, one of the finest thoroughbreds in the world, and her own personal property. In addition to being a good rider, she rows, swims and plays tennis with skill.

Young Stanwood since his boyhood days has been a friend of the Lawson family, and because of this his frequent calls at their Boston residence aroused no comment. In fact, the announcement of the engagement will come as a general surprise to the friends of the young couple.

DROPPED DEAD

MAN OVERCOME BY EXCITEMENT AT BALL GAME.

PITTSBURG, Aug. 4.—The ball game between New York and Pittsburg yesterday was not only exciting as to the playing of the teams, but furnished a number of unusual incidents among the spectators.

During the strenuous seventh inning, when Pittsburg went one run ahead of the visitors, J. W. Maher, 44, of Wilkinsburg, was seen to collapse in his seat and before air could be given him he was dead. The physicians say the cause was apoplexy superinduced by excitement.

While the next inning was in progress a heated discussion arose in the private box occupied by Barney Dreyfuss, president of the Pittsburg club, and friends. The discussion was started by an outsider giving the name of Thomas J. Ward of Minneapolis, Minn. Dreyfuss ordered Ward from the box and upon his refusal to go the president, it is said ,shoved him, when Ward retaliated with a blow which knocked Drefuss down. Ward was arrested and Mr. Dreyfuss entered complaint against him for assault and battery.

NO REWARD

PETER McGOVERN FOUND SECURITIES WORTH $3,900,000.

JERSEY CITY, Aug. 4.—Peter McGovern, the Jersey City man who found $3,900,000 par value of securities which Richard Cullen of Duluth, Minn., says he lost in Battery Park three weeks ago, will not receive any reward for picking them up. The law does not say that the owner of lost property must pay a reward for its recovery.

FINE DAY AT REVERE.

The fifth annual outing of Cercle d'Youville, Companions of the Forest, was held at Revere beach yesterday and proved to be a grand success. Nearly 150 members left Lowell at seven o'clock yesterday morning and arrived at the beach about 9.30 o'clock. Bathing was enjoyed during the morning after which a sumptuous dinner was served at one of the beach hotels. The return trip was made early in the evening, the excursionists arriving home about 9.15 o'clock last night. The party was chaperoned by Mrs. Anna de Lamothe.

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Just Through Taking Stock--Five Columns of Discoveries That Will Benefit the Pocketbooks of Our Patrons

A SPECIAL SALE OF

Women's Shirt Waists

OPENS THIS MORNING

We advise you to "take time by the forelock" and wend your way to this section early in the day for some of the lots are small (not these advertised lots for we have enough of these to go around) but many odd garments, small lots, etc., are really better values than the ones we advertise

The following details will give you some idea of the generous savings which await you here this morning:

One lot of odds and ends in Soiled Waists, worth $1.00 and $1.25. To close ..... 50c each

At 98c

We have put in at this price Waists which have sold for $1.98, one lot especially is very attractive, it is a Silk Muslin Waist, with tucked back and front, fancy stock and new sleeves. Also a lot of Muslins that sold for $1.50 and $1.98. One very attractive style is a fine Muslin trimmed with broad tennerlift panel and broad tucks.

At $1.49

A number of very catchy styles at this price. One is a very fine lawn with front of all over eyelet embroidery, tucked button back and 7-inch tucked and hamburg trimmed cuff. This garment has always sold for $2.

At $1.98

Several styles are shown at this price, garments which have sold all the season at $3, but the time has come to close them out and this price will surely do so. Among them you will find this very attractive model. It is made of fine lawn material, the front is composed of two rows of 5-inch Hamburg eyelet embroidery with fine hemstitched tucks on either side. The back has 6 rows of fine tucks and the cuffs are made of embroidery to match front

Special Prices on Women's Linen Waists

You know how popular these garments are at the present time. We have too many of them in stock, however, and have marked them all down to insure a rapid clearance. These prices will tell the story:

The $1.98 and $2.25 grades are now marked $1.39
The $2.50 and $2.98 grades are now marked $1.98
The $3.98 grades are now marked $2.89
The $4.98 grades are now marked $3.70

SEE WINDOW DISPLAY

1000 Yards "Dirigo" Batiste

ONE-HALF PRICE

This is a summer fabric suitable for shirt waist suits or fancy gowns and kimonos. The assortment consists of figures and fancy stripes on white or tan grounds. The width is 29 inches. They have sold all season for 12½c. The "too many" price will be

6 1-4 Cents a Yard

SEE WINDOW DISPLAY

An Astonishing Value in

Window Shades

It isn't often you can secure a value like this. When you can you should take immediate advantage of the opportunity. How or why we can give it, we take for granted you care nothing about . The bare fact that we do is usually enough for the buying public.

We Have 449 Opaque Window Shades on Sale This Morning at 29c Each. Regular Price 49c, 59c, 69c

First quality. Inserted fringe. Regular size 3 ft x 6 ft.

ON SALE IN DRAPERY SECTION, SECOND FLOOR.

If you want to secure a regular 25c Belt at a saving of 10c each, secure one of our

White Embroidered Belts for 15 Cents

You may wonder how we can do it. Well, we do and are making a small profit at that. Without doubt the "other fellow," the one from whom we bought them would not tell the same story.

SEE THEM IN ONE OF OUR BIG WINDOWS.

20,000 Asters go on Sale Saturday morning. White, Pink and Purple. The price is 25 for 10 Cents

Read Every Item—Don't Miss One

Miscellaneous Discoveries

A lot of Men's 25c Underdrawer which we will close for 19c

A lot of Men's and Boys' 50c Shirts. Large sizes. Closing price 19c

A lot of Men's 25c Leather Belts. Closing price ..15c

A lot of Women's 50c Forest Mills Corset Covers. Closing price 23c

A lot of Women's 25c Forest Mills Corset Covers. All styles. To close 15c

A lot of Women's 25c Jersey Pants. To close 19c

A lot of Children's White and Colored Reefers. Formerly sold for 75c, 98c and $1.25. Closing price 49c

A lot of Women's White Skirts. Some are a little mussed. Others fresh goods. Formerly 98c and $1.25. To close ...75c each

A lot of Women's White Skirts which formerly sold for 69c. To close..49c

A lot of soiled Corset Covers. (White Muslin). Formerly 50c each. To close 25c

A lot of Women's Muslin Drawers which sold for 25c pair. To close.... 10c pair

A lot of Children's White Muslin Bonnets. Former price 25c and 39c. Mussed and soiled. To close 5c each

A lot of 5c Lead Pencils. To close ..... 2 for 5c

Marcus Ward's "Monarch Bond" Note Paper. 24 sheets and 24 envelopes in box. Regularly 25c. "Blue only. To close.....10c box

$1. P. N. Corsets at..69c pair

Cut Work Shams and Scarfs. Regularly 25c. To close 15c

Berlin Wool or Zephyr. Regularly 5c lap. To close..3c

Embroidered Doilies. Regularly 10c. To close 5c

Tooth Brushes. Worth 15c. Now 10c

Clothes Brushes. Worth 25c. Now 10c

Black Handled Shears. Worth 25c. Now 15c

Fancy Jar of Vaseline. Regular 10c. Now 5c

Hand Mirrors. Formerly 5c. Now 3c

Tivoli Soap (3 Cakes in box) Regularly 10c. To close..6c

Pearl Buttons. Regularly 5c dozen. Now 3c

Lace Carriage Covers. Regularly $1.00. Now 50c

FREE—With every bottle of Colgate's Dental Powder we'll give a trial cake of Cashmere Bouquet Soap.

The Special Values in the

Shoe Section

Women's $2 Tan Oxfords at $1.49 pair

Women's $1.50 Tan Oxfords at .....$1.29 pair

Women's $1.50 Brown Oxfords at .....$1.19 pair

Misses' $1.50 Tan Oxfords at $1.19 pair

Misses' $1.25 Tan Oxfords at 98c pair

69c and 75c Barefoot Sandals at ..... 59c pair

Bathing Shoes ..... 23c pair

Boys' Sneakers .... 49c pair

DISCOVERED—A LOT OF

Dress and Coat Ornaments

Which we don't want. They have sold for 15c, 25c and 50c. You can choose for 8c each

DON'T FAIL TO VISIT THE

Suit Section

Even if you have no immediate needs in that direction, for never before have we shown such a galaxy of values. Our method of cleaning up stock allows us no carry-overs from season to season. Goods must be sold in the season they are bought if price will do it (and it generally does). Consequently at this time, directly after stock-taking, discoveries are made which make it necessary to use the price cutting knife unmercifully. Read on and you will see what the price cutter has done.

25 ODD SUITS—New Spring Goods. Light and dark Voiles, Cheviots and Mixtures. Former price $13.98 to $20. Now $3.98

SILK SHIRT WAIST SUITS, $7.98—All colors. Shirred and tucked. Formerly $15.98

WOMEN'S LINEN COAT SUITS, $4.98—Plaited coat and skirt. Small sizes. Formerly $10.98.

75 WALKING SKIRTS—All wool. Fancy mixtures. Side plaited. Blue, brown and black. Regularly $5.98 and $7.98. Now $1.98

WOMEN'S WRAPPERS, 79c—98c and $1.25 grades. Light and dark Percales and Muslins.

CHILDREN'S DRESSES, 89c—Russian Blouse, 2-Piece Suspender Suits. Formerly $1.49, $1.75 and $1.98.

28 ODD COATS—Voile, Cheviots, Broadcloth and Silk. Broken sizes. Formerly $5 to $10. Now $1.98

COLORED AND WHITE SHIRT WAIST SUITS, $2.98—Chambray and White Muslin. Balance of Stock. 30 in all. Formerly $5.98 to $7.98.

LAWN SHIRT WAIST SUITS 98c—In blue, tan, black and white. Trimmings of blue, red and white piping. Formerly $1.98 to $2.98.

WASH SKIRTS AT 98c—Formerly $1.98 and $2.49. Black and white check. Cadet blue and linen color.

DRESSING SACQUES AT 79c—Also Kimonas. Formerly $1.25 and $1.49. Good lawn, black and white figures and Persian patterns.

SEE WINDOW DISPLAY

Surprising Values in our

BASEMENT SECTION

We have rearranged our Glassware Section and to signalize the event for two days we will give the Lowell public the most tempting bargains they have seen in some time. To four tables we call particular attention.

10c Table Contains Items Worth up to 25c Each

Among which you will find the following articles: Salts and Peppers, Vinegar Bottles, Creamers, Sugars, Butters, Vases, Olive Dishes, Bon Bons, Berries, Fruit Dishes, etc.

25c Table Contains Items Worth up to 50c Each

On this table you will find: Water Bottles, Berry Dishes, Fruit Dishes, Celery Dishes, Bon Bons, Olives, Pickles, Cracker Jars, Syrup Jugs, Vases, Water Pitchers, etc.

49c Table Contains Items Worth up to $1.00 Each

On this table you will find: Berry Sets, Footed Fruit Bowls, cake Salvers, Wine Bottles, Water Pitchers, Rose Bowls, etc.

98c Table Contains Items Worth up to $1.50 Each

On this table you will find: Water Sets, Wine Sets, Table Sets, Berry Sets, Whiskey Jugs, Rose Bowls, etc.

A great variety of higher priced goods on other tables

Three Strong Seasonable Items in Enamelware

No 1—Royal Granite Steel Sauce Pans, 5 quart size, regularly 35c, now...25c

No. 2—Royal Granite Steel Preserve Kettles, 12 quart size, regularly 79c; now 49c

No. 3—Royal Granite Steel Convex Kettles, with heavy covers, 20 quart size, worth $1.39, now 98c

Three Invincible Leaders in Our Trunk Dept.

COW HIDE SUIT CASE $3.98—24 inch size, steel frame, first class leather, reinforced corners, brass trimmings, usually $4.98.

BASKET SUIT CASE $2.39—24-inch size, leather bound, brass trimmings and lock, usually $2.98.

IMITATION PEBBLE LEATHER CASES $1.98—24-inch size, desirable colors, solid leather corners, brass trimmings and lock. Usually $2.98.

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USED THEIR CLUBS

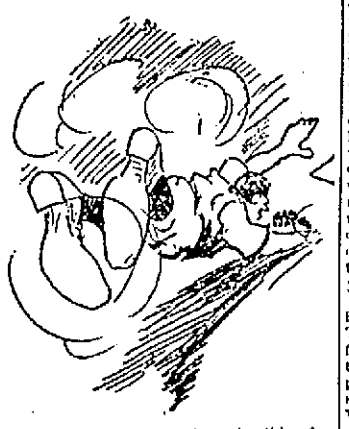
The Police Did a Wicked Job

ON "TOM" HOBAN'S ANCIENT PETS

The Defeated Team Changes Its Name

There's a ball team in town made up of good old husky has-beens that travels around under two names. When it wins one reads of the great victory of Hoban's Pets while when it loses one hears of the misfortunes of Mulvaney's Cannibals.

Yesterday a reporter of The Sun with the aid of a field glass made the important discovery that the two clubs



Hoban makes a grandstand slide for second.

are one and the same. Yesterday it was announced that the celebrated rag-chewing police team would play Hoban's Pets. But after the game the announcement was that Mulvaney's Cannibals had been the victims of the coppers. Young Hoban is very sensitive over his ability as a ball player and he dislikes the use of his name with a losing aggregation. Some years ago a traveling salesman who wanted to work off some home-made sour mash on him said to him: "Tommy, I have seen a lot of ball players in my travels but none has ever shown your style." Hoban always believed him for he said the runner had been around a lot and knew a good ball player when he saw him.

So Hoban hired a job wagon yester-

Catcher Casey's hair interferes with his playing.

day, and tying his Pets in, started for Spalding park to have at it with the police team. He borrowed a pitcher, young Eames of the Textile school, but all the others except one were genuine Pets.

The one exception was a slick-looking young guy who wagged his tall at

McCann fumbles the ball badly.

the name of Casey. He was also called "Side of Sawsige" and he was called many other names before the game was over. Casey's principal features were his hair which waved gracefully in the breezes like a field of wheat, and his voice. He wore enough hair to keep a mattress factory working overtime for a week. He could talk base ball with anyone on the field but when

Mulvaney was a great coach.

he went behind the bat and caught a few Hoban promptly changed the name of the team and offered a reward for information as to how Casey "butted in." Of the genuine Pets there was good old Jimmy Mulvaney, who has been playing ball for 30 years without improving. Jimmy used to be a pitcher before the curve ball was discovered but for the past 15 or 18 years has played first base. He did very well considering. There was room for only 20 marks in the error box and when the scorer had filled it he stopped recording Jimmie's errors. Jimmie made a good director for while he didn't play well himself he told all the other players how to play their positions. He talked almost as much as young "Side of Sawsige."

The only real exhibition of ball playing on the part of the Pets was Fred Tighe. He had two chances in right field which he accepted, making two of the finest catches seen at Spalding park. He ran bases like a deer and scored one of the Pets two runs. While he didn't hit safely he brought

Flanagan played in his old-time form.

in the other run by a fly to the outfield and in fact he appears to be a real ball player. Manager Hoban should put Tighe on first base and let Mulvaney mind the bats for the remainder of the season.

The police team have the best team of players in their history and they should defeat any police team in New England. Several of them are old-time professional ball players, while the others are all crack athletes. Mat McCann was the only one of the police team who couldn't play yesterday and Mulvaney got him going at the start by challenging him to run 100 yards. Mat considered it an insult to be challenged by a human steam roller and he was so indignant over it that he couldn't play at all.

A representative of St. Peter's orphanage was present and in behalf of the orphanage team (average age 10) invited the Hoban Pets to play them in the back yard of the orphanage next week.

The score:

POLICE TEAM.

	ab	r	1b	tb	po	a	e
McCann 2b	4	4	2	4	2	2	0
Castles ss	3	4	2	2	1	3	0
Flanagan 1b	3	2	2	2	8	1	0
Donovan c	5	2	3	3	2	3	0
Cogger 2b	4	0	1	1	2	2	0
Whelan cf	3	1	0	0	1	0	0
Boyle lf	3	1	1	1	3	0	0
Burnett p	3	1	1	1	1	2	0
Riley rf	3	1	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	31	16	12	14	15	14	0

HOBAN'S PET.

	ab	r	1b	tb	po	a	e
Casey c	4	1	0	0	3	2	1
Ames p	4	0	0	0	1	3	0
Mulvaney 1b	4	0	2	4	6	1	2
Cudworth ss	3	0	0	0	2	2	1
Sullivan 3b	3	0	0	0	1	3	1
Duffy rf	3	0	0	0	1	0	0
Hoban 2b, cf	3	0	0	0	1	1	3
Cook cf, 2b	3	0	0	0	1	1	0
Tighe rf	2	1	0	0	2	0	0
Totals	29	2	2	4	18	13	8

Police Team	5	2	6	0	2	1	—		16
Hoban's Pets	0	0	0	0	2	0	—		2

Earned runs—Police Team 10. Two base hits—McCann 2, Mulvaney 2. Double play Burnett, Cogger and Flanagan. Stolen bases—Flanagan 3, Donovan 2, McCann 2. Base on balls—Castle, Tighe. Hit by pitched ball—Flanagan. Time—1.45. Umpire—Dwyer.

For sale by Thompson Hardware Co., W. T. S. Bartlett, Adams Hardware & Paint Co., E. P. Flanders & Co. and Nap. D. Lafleur.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

Princess lodge, No. 12, I. O. O. F., of St. George held its regular meeting Tuesday evening and transacted considerable routine business.

A special committee was appointed to arrange for a trolley ride to Revere beach, Saturday, August 5th.

Lowell Aerie, No. 223, F. O. E., held a very well attended meeting last evening, considering that a great many members of the Aerie were in attendance at the annual field day, which was being held in Providence, R. I., and Crescent Park.

A large amount of routine business was transacted, and the committee in charge of the annual outing of the local aerie which will be held at Mountain Rock, next Labor day, reported that their efforts will ensure the best outing the aerie has ever held.

A full band has been engaged and a short parade of the aerie will be held before taking the cars at Paige street. There were 10 candidates initiated, and four applications for membership were received.

ARMY OFFICERS

Are Involved in the Taggart Case

WITNESS TELLS OF DRINKING PARTIES

Mrs. Taggat Took Her Whiskey Clear

WOOSTER, O., Aug. 4.—Stories of the beautiful wives of army officers engaging in beer drinking contests, in which the wife of Maj. Taggart was said to outdo all rivals, and of midnight visits to Mrs. Taggart by the major's superior and subordinate officers, were told on the witness stand yesterday in the divorce suit brought by Maj. Taggart.

Beyond this, Mrs. Taggart was put in the light of being a great whiskey drinker, one witness declaring that she preferred her distilled liquor straight, and laughed at high army officers who diluted it with water.

Howard Taggart of Baltimore, brother of the major, was a main witness.

"I lived with my brother at Fort Thomas from 1893 until 1898," said Howard Taggart. "I know Lieut. Raither. I often saw him at my brother's house. One night when my brother was at the Fort Thomas rifle range for two weeks I retired early. I was up several times in the night. At 1.30 I saw a light burning in the front hall. I was at the head of the stairs. Lieut. Raither opened the door, without knocking, and tiptoed into the parlor. I waited five or 10 minutes and then went downstairs.

"Mrs. Taggart came out of the parlor and asked me what I wanted. I said I wanted a drink of water. I went straight back to the ice box. I started then to investigate.

"When I got to the dining room I heard some one leave the parlor. I hurried to the door and saw Lieut. Raither tiptoe out of the parlor toward the front door. To my knowledge Lieut. Raither did not call at the house after that.

"I told Maj. Taggart of this only after the suit for divorce was begun.

"A week after the midnight occurrence, Mrs. Taggart handed me an anonymous letter. It was addressed to Maj. Taggart and warned him to watch his wife, as Lieut. Raither had once taken her to a hotel at Newport, Ky.

"When officers called at the house Maj. Taggart would offer them liquors and cigars and Mrs. Taggart would drink with them. Mrs. Taggart drank whiskey straight and prided herself because of it. She laughed at officers who drank water with theirs.

"Mrs. Taggart and the wife of another officer had a beer drinking contest at the canteen set aside for officers and their wives. One of the officers wagered Mrs. Taggart could drink the most beer. Another officer backed the other. I left before the contest was over.

"Maj. Taggart often remonstrated with his wife for giving beer to their oldest boy. I did not drink at the time, but one day Mrs. Taggart mixed me what I thought was lemonade, and it made me so drunk I had to go to bed.

"Officers and their wives had a social club at Fort Thomas," continued Howard Taggart. "Mrs. Taggart told me the second year she was not invited to join. She told me the wives of two other officers were also left out. Maj. Taggart had told her then that they were considered three of a kind."

To show the character of Mrs. Taggart's associates, the witness was allowed to testify that Mrs. Taggart told him that a certain lieutenant was forced to leave West Point by his wife's conduct with another officer. Long argument on the competence of such testimony followed. The court overruled the objection.

After recess Howard Taggart toook the stand again and told of observations in Matanzas, Cuba. Mrs. Taggart and an officer were there.

"One day I noticed a cut on Mrs. Taggart's forehead," said he. "She wore her hair down over her eye, concealing the cut. Sh etold me that was a new style. I told the other women I had heard Mrs. Taggart got cut while drinking with two volunteer officers. She said they met the officers on the plaza and went to a saloon. They drank 'high balls' at first. Then one officer ordered champagne.

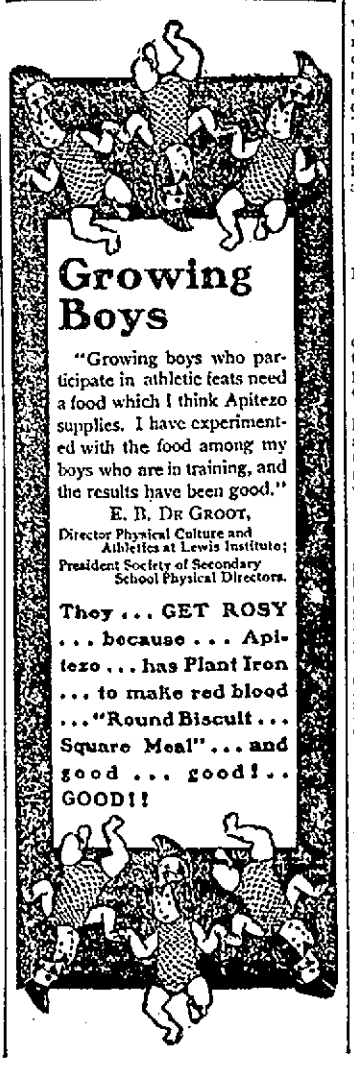
"They had filled their glasses and were standing when Maj. Taggart appeared in the doorway. One of the officers waved his glass and cried: 'Hello, Tagg; here's how.' Maj. Taggart knocked the glass from his hand and the officer fell, so drunk he could not get up. It was when Mrs. Taggart returned home she fell against a dresser and cut her head.

"When Mrs. Taggart returned from the Philippines in 1903, I visited her in Chicago for a day. She showed me the things she brought back with her. There were three long fur coats worth $700 and kimonos from Japan that cost $75 each. She told me Maj. Taggart had spent his last dollar buying these and other nice things, and had to borrow money to get back home.

"She had furniture inlaid with mother-of-pearl they brought from Manila. She told me that the trouble with the officers in the Philippines was that they drank so much they could not stand the climate, but that Maj. Taggart drank nothing there. That, she said, was why he was looking so well."

The witness told of poker games among the officers, but said Maj. Taggart did not play much.

"There was one game at the club when Maj. Taggart played," he said. "There were bottles of liquor on the table, and a minister was shoved into the room as a joke."



ALMOST A RIOT

Boston Police Seized Two Anarchists

BOSTON, Aug. 4.—A crowd of a hundred foreigners, listening to the preaching of five anarchists in North square shortly after 11 o'clock last night, was dispersed amid great excitement by Officers Leonard and Cavagnaro of Station 1. Two of the anarchists were arrested and taken to the station, where they were warned never to come to this city again. Then they were allowed to go.

The anarchists, who were dressed in the height of fashion and are all foreigners, came to this city from Lynn yesterday morning and during the afternoon attempted to give addresses in different parts of the North end, but were driven away by the police.

Late last evening, followed by an enthusiastic crowd, cheering and waving their arms above their heads in wild gestures, they assembled at North square, and, perched upon boxes, began to talk again. In their own language they urged the people to overthrow the governor and take the government by force. They advocated doing away with the head officials of the state and men of wealth. Each exhortation was received with cheers and wild enthusiasm.

Patrolman Cavagnaro, who had concealed himself behind a building and understood what was said, together with Patrolman Leonard, suddenly sprang out, and, with drawn clubs, dispersed the crowd and caught two of the preachers. This drove the crowd frantic, and for a short time it looked as if it would pounce upon the two officers. Stones were thrown, and hisses and oaths showered upon the officers.

The walk to the patrol box with their prisoners was difficult, as the crowd swarmed upon the sidewalks and only by swinging their clubs and beating their way through, were the officers able to make any progress.

Sergt. Sweeney and other patrolmen were hurriedly sent from the police station. The great crowd filled Hanover street at the corner of Prince and became so unruly that all traffic was blocked. The extra patrolmen succeeded in starting it moving.

After the two alleged anarchists were safely landed officers were detailed to search for the four others, but they escaped, and are being harbored in the house of friends. Small groups of men filled the streets until long after midnight swearing vengeance upon the officers.

BISHOP CALLED

TO HELP MAINTAIN THE QUARANTINE OF THE GULF COAST.

JACKSON, Miss., Aug. 4—Governor Vardman, yesterday ordered out troops to reinforce the soldiers doing quarantine duty on the gulf coast. A detail of 18 men from the Wesson company commanded by Lieut. Slyde, passed through the city this afternoon, enroute to Gulf port. The governor has instructed Adjutant Fridge to keep him fully advised of the situation and more troops will be sent if necessary to maintain the quarantine and keep yellow fever out of Mississippi.

LOWELL WOMAN

HURT AT HOUGHS NECK WHILE LANDING.

QUINCY, Aug. 4.—Mrs. James Gragg of Lowell, occupying the Stanwell cottage at Houghs Neck, last night slipped on the float at the Atlantic yacht club-house while landing from a boat.

She was unconscious for several hours. She was attended by four physicians who said her condition was due to a severe nervous shock, and that no serious results would follow. She was removed to her summer home.

MINOR ACCIDENTS.

Clyde McArdle, aged 12 years and residing at 402 Central street, while picking apples at 55 Hildreth street, yesterday afternoon, fell from a tree sustaining a fracture of the left arm. He was taken to the Emergency hospital where his injury was dressed.

At the Emergency hospital also Charles Flynn, 213 Fletcher street, 15 years old, received attention for lacerations to left arm, caused by a churning machine.

SOME RAILROAD CHANGES.

William Sanborn has resigned the presidency of the Lowell Brotherhood of Freight and Baggagemen and also his position at the northern depot. He has accepted a position as freight brakeman at Nashua.

Mr. John Corcoran, for a long time depot master at the Merrimack street station, has taken his place.

John C. Cook has been advanced from way bill clerk to Northern depot agent of the American Express company to succeed John Collins, who has been transferred to Salem. W. H. Martin has been appointed to Mr. Cook's former position.

JOHN McMANUS

THINKS HIS BROTHER MAY HAVE BEEN SHOT.

Overseer-of-the-Poor John McManus is of the opinion that the private, Michael J. McManus, who was shot at Fort Ethan Allen yesterday, is his brother.

Mr. McManus stated to a Sun reporter that he had a brother by that name whom he has not seen since he left Lawrence, about 20 years ago. At that time he was 19 or 20 years of age.

Mr. McManus has sent a telegram to Burlington, Vt., seeking information regarding the man who was shot and is anxiously awaiting a reply.

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Kitchen girl at once. Apply Weston House, 209 Appleton st.

WANTED—Ten men with bad shaped heads to call at Delorme's the Hatter and he will fit the head perfect with a stylish hat at 261 Middlesex st. Delorme, Practical Hatter. Repairing a specialty.

EXPERIENCED COOK wanted. 20 George st., Boott corp.

WANTED—By a large Massachusetts company several reliable and trustworthy men; permanent positions; opportunities for advancement. Apply Manager, Room 4 and 5 Grosvenor Block, Merrimack and Bridge sts.

WANTED—Cook at 15 John st.

WANTED—Lady demonstrators at once, call at 66 Austin st., H. Hall Mgr., city.

WANTED—Good nickel plater and flasher wanted. Apply 64 Middle st.

WANTED—Painter and paperhanger, new house, Winthrop ave., off Powell st. Come ready to work.

WANTED—A blacksmith for machine shop work. Apply C. D. Sargent Sons' Corp., Graniteville, Mass.

WANTED—Table and kitchen girl. 9-10 Dutton st.

WANTED—Men everywhere, good pay; to distribute circulars, adv. matter, tack signs, etc. No canvassing. National Adv. Bureau, Chicago.

ANY INTELLIGENT PERSON may earn a good income corresponding for newspapers; no canvassing; experience unnecessary. Send for particulars. Northern Press Syndicate, Lockport, N. Y.

WANTED—Local men to collect and canvass, steady work, salary and commission. Room 31, Hildreth Building.

WANTED AT ONCE—Speeder tenders at the Barker mill, Auburn, Me. Inquire William Hayes, Agt.

WANTED—First class table girls, chamber girls, cooks and kitchen girls for seashore and mountains; high wages; also a few general house girls wanted. Prescott Employment Bureau, 31 Prescott st., in the Jewelry store.

WANTED

Cap and flyer spinners at once. Transportation paid both ways. Apply at Brookside Worsted Mills, Brookside, Mass.

MONEY TO LOAN

DON'T BE SHORT—Plenty of money to loan to permanent salaried people on easy weekly payments, lowest rates in the city (confidential) no publicity, no delay, special inducements for quick payments. Private office. Offices in Lowell and Lawrence. U. S. Loan Co., 90 Prescott st.

$5, $10, $15—Emergency loans for "tight" places quickly secured at the best place in Lowell. T. H. Kelley's 352 Middlesex st.

MONEY ON CREDIT without security, salaried people and others. Best terms, liberal discount, commission paid. Merrimack Loan Co., Associate Building.

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MONEY LOANED salaried people, retail merchants, teamsters and others, without security, easy payments, offices in 70 leading cities. Tolman, room 43 Hildreth Building, 45 Merrimack st.

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and all personal property. Private office. (Strictly confidential.) Room 5, Swan building, 26 Central st.

MONEY TO LOAN at short notice on furniture, pianos, diamonds, etc. Leases paid off and more money advanced. All business strictly confidential. Address W. E. Leinhas, room 9, Barristers' Hall.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—A female tiger Angora cat. Suitable reward if returned to George Bense, 35 West Ninth st.

LOST—A lady's hand bag between Bon Marche and Merrimack st. Return to 24 Brooks st.

LOST—A paper hanger's grip between A and Powell sts. Finder return to Mr. Pinard, 237 Westford st.

LOST—A watch Thursday eve. at Lakeview park. Reward at 9 Spring st.

WANTED

WANTED—A second hand electric motor 1 horse power in good condition, at once. Address H., Sun Office.

WANTED—A covered wagon for light delivery; must be in good condition. D., Sun Office.

DEFECTIVE CHIMNEYS—If you have not had your chimneys examined within ten years, you should have them examined for your own sake as it does not do to take chances on chimneys that are apt to be defective. Smith Bros., Chimney Builders, 145 Liberty st. Telephone 1593-2.

WANTED—To hear from lady on farm between 50 and 55. Address B, Sun Office.

WANTED—Furnished flat of 4 or 5 rooms, five minutes from city hall. Address B., Sun Office.

WANTED—A respectable young man desiring board in a private family. Inquire at Sun office.

WANTED—A house of 9 or 10 rooms to rent in vicinity of ward 7. Address E. A. D., Sun Office.

WANTED—Children to board in East Chelmsford, second house on right past city line, take Boston car.

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Strictly private advice and book free. Short wait, prompt, efficient, references everywhere, success in all counties in Massachusetts, lowest fee, easily paid. Our only office. Lawyer, 47 Court St., Room 11, Boston, Mass.

SPECIAL NOTICES

WHEN YOU CONSIDER the fact that there were over 40,000 cups of our "Capital Coffee" drank last year, you must acknowledge its good quality, or there wouldn't have been so many drinking it. It is as we claim, thirty-five cent quality. We sell it for 25c. Nichols & Co., 31 John st.

SMITH BROS., the well known chimney builders, have removed from 322 E. Merrimack st. to 145 Liberty st. Tel 1593-2.

MISS L. VIVIAN PRESSY, Piano teacher, 127 Stackpole st.

M. GOLDSTEIN CO., dealers in wall papers, also paper hanging, whitewashing and painting. 1 room papered $1.75, work guaranteed. 168 Chelmsford st., Lowell, Mass.

WHEN YOU WANT to save money and get good goods you should not forget to think of us. We sell nice, new crop Teas, fresh roasted Coffees, 18 lbs. best granulated sugar, $1. Cut prices on fruit jars. Free delivery. Dickson's Tea Store, 64 Merrimack st.

HAVE YOUR CHIMNEYS swept out from top to bottom with steel brushes and an iron door set in the bottom all for $2.50 per chimney. Special offer for August only. Smith Bros., 145 Liberty st. Tel. 1593-2.

WM. E. RIGG, 65 Billerica st., Riverside Park, piano and furniture mover in or out of city. Prices reasonable for good work. Sign on barn. Also some pigs for sale.

LOWELL SWIMMING POOL, 501 Pawtucket street, foot of Rolfe, is now open to the public. Take Broadway cars.

PRESCOTT EMPLOYMENT BUREAU—Reliable help of all kinds wanted and furnished. Mill, farm, domestic, beach and mountain hotel help a specialty. 34 Prescott st., Lowell, Mass. Telephone 803-2.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news-stands of the Union station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—Situation as chamber maid. Address N. C., Sun Office.

WANTED—Situation to do housework or chamberwork or work in country. 20 Linden street.

SITUATION WANTED—A nurse trained in maternity hospital, especially for confinement cases. Highest medical references, terms moderate. Mrs. Battle, Maternity Nurse, 24 Third st.

MISCELLANEOUS

CHIROPODIST. C. M. Saunders, 90 Prescott st., office closed Thursdays during August. Telephone.

MRS. C. ADAMS—Clairvoyant and card reader and ladies' parlor employment office at 382 Central st.

CHIMNEYS REPAIRED at short notice. Smith Bros., 145 Liberty st. Telephone 1593-2.

MRS. C. ADAMS—Clairvoyant, has removed from 275 Gorham st., to 382 Central st., near Tyler st.

HATTIE MYRTLE CHADWICK, clairaudiant, wishes to inform her patrons that owing to much needed rest her rooms at 382 Bridge st., will be closed until Aug. 25.

REAL ESTATE MEN, PROPERTY OWNERS, ETC.—Will paper your room, furnishing paper, and border to match the same, including the hanging for $2.00; special prices given for work consisting of more than one room; estimates furnished on inside and outside painting, whitewashing, etc., first-class work guaranteed. Baker (The New Racket), 303 Middlesex st.

WHITE SEWING MACHINE CO.—Ladies, before buying a sewing machine see our rotary, it is the lightest and most endurable machine in the market. We have other makes, second hand machines from $3 to $10. 376 Bridge st.

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NOW IS THE TIME to have your chimney repaired, chimneys swept out from top to bottom, furnace and boilers swept and cleaned; also slated roofs repaired. Get Smith Brothers, 145 Liberty st. Telephone 1593-2.

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NOW IS THE TIME to bring in your Panama hats and have them cleaned. We have all the latest shapes in stiff hats. We will give a hat cleaner free with every purchase of a hat at J. Delorme's, 261 Middlesex st. The famous hatter.

THE WONDERFUL DRINK GLORIA, gives youthful vigor, and a day of new life in every drink. Boyle Bros., Telephone.

CARPENTERS AND BUILDERS should order "The Chase Lock Hinge" for blinds direct from factory at a liberal discount. Box 150, Waltham.

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LADIES—Dr. LaFranco's Compound gives positive relief; powerful combination used by 200,000 women. Price 25 cents; druggists or by mail. Address LaFranco & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

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OFFICE TO LET—A fine office on second floor of the Harrington building, 52 Central st. Inquire at The Sun office.

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CASH LOANS TO ANYONE with a salary. No security asked; a plain note is all we require.

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TO LET—Large pleasant rooms to rent furnished or unfurnished, all modern conveniences, near the Atherton mills. Address C., Sun Office.

FURNISHED ROOM to let, front room newly furnished, bath, hot and cold water, 2 minutes' walk from Westford cor. Chelmsford sts. Apply at 105 Grand st.

TO LET—On Salem st., near Pawtucket, a modern six room tenement. Call at 282 Riverside st. Tel. 966-3.

TO LET—Neatly furnished rooms to let in private family. 496 Moody st.

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CLEAN, HOMELIKE TENEMENTS—Don't forget that we are headquarters for clean, homelike tenements for small families at low rents. If you think of moving call and see us. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central st.

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WANTED—Three good second-hand carpets. Write A, this office.

TO LET—A five room tenement, newly renovated, No. 12 Rogers street, rent low. Apply at M. Wyman's, 62 Middlesex st.

TO LET—A tenement of five rooms beside bath, and pantry $9.00 per month. Inquire 4 Sutherland st.

TO LET—Two, four or six rooms, bath per week $2 up. 465 Westford cor. South Canton st. Telephone 1271-5.

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STORE TO LET—33 Shattuck street, Wm. E. Badger, Locks & Canals office.

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A NICE OFFICE to let on the second floor of the Harrington Building, 52 Central st. Rent low. Inquire at Sun Office.

TO LET—Very desirable residence, No. 95 Myrtle st. consisting of ten room house and stable. Telephone 232-13.

TO LET—Corner Windsor & Westford streets two six room flats, all hard wood floors; steam heat, continuous hot water and gas range furnished. All modern conveniences. Apply James H. Walker, 48 Fletcher street. Tel. 911-2.

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FOR SALE—Great bargain, two-tenement house. Centralville, ten minutes' walk from Merrimack sq. Particulars 113 Lawrence st., right hand bell.

FOR SALE—A good paying boarding house. Inquire at Sun Office.

FOR SALE—25 Rhode Island hens and 3 white leghorn chickens. Address D. W., this office.

AUTOMOBILE FOR SALE—6 horse power Delion engine with running gear complete, price 75 dollars. 195 Moody st., Lowell.

FOR SALE—A painter's outfit. For particulars inquire at Nap. Lafleur's Hardware Store, East Merrimack st.

FOR SALE—Two second hand boilers, 36 inches and 54 inches in diameter. T. A. Stevens, 23 Central Block.

FOR SALE—Wagon, Tuesday, August 8 at 10 a. m. Linsted Carriage Shop, Chelmsford Centre.

FOR SALE—A Boston terrier bitch, 3 months old, handsomely marked, can be registered; also fancy pigeons. Hamilton, 451 Mammot road.

FOR SALE—Will sell my boarding house for $150 if sold at once. Address S. B., Sun Office.

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FOR SALE—A nicely furnished lodging house centrally located. Inquire at Sun Office.

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VALUABLE CORNER LOT for sale containing about 4700 feet, suitable for the erection of a 9 tenement block, situated by the North common. No better site for building can be found. Owner about to leave the city. Apply to C. F. Reyes, 52 Central st.

FOR SALE—Dry hobbin wood, 10 bushels, (5 baskets) $1.00. W. H. Parker & Sons. Telephone 1074-3., cor. Rogers and Perry sts.

BUSINESS CHANCES

FOR SALE—One of the best lodging houses in the city for $550. Call on Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex street, near depot.

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If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

LOAN ORDERS

For Sewer and Street Departments

Passed by Aldermen and Defeated by Councilmen—Griffiths Confirmed as Cemetery Trustee—Spillane Still on the Table

The board of aldermen met last night and passed a joint loan order of $50,000 for sewer construction. The mayor's nomination of Richard Griffiths as cemetery trustee was confirmed and the board refused to take from the table the mayor's appointment of James J. Spillane to the board of health.

The aldermen were in a liberal mood and passed joint loan orders of $35,000 for the street department and $1800 for the building of an annex to the Lyon street school.

Chairman Grant called to order at 8.15 and roll call showed a full attendance.

Petition of Boston & Northern Street Railway company for permission to extend it sdouble tracks in Middlesex street to connect with the single track in Thorndike street at Depot square, was read and a hearing ordered for Tuesday evening, September 12.

Joint order establishing a loan of $50,000 for sewer construction was unanimously adopted and sent down for concurrence.

Joint loan order for $35,000 to place out the street department appropriation was read. The order was adopted after much talk.

Joint order appropriating $225 for the printing of the municipal register for the current year was adopted.

C. H. Clough's petition for gasolene lights in Birch street was referred to the committee on street lighting.

Petition signed by John J. O'Connell and other residents of ward four, for an annex to the Lyon street school, was referred to the lands and buildings committee. A communication was received from the mayor recommending the proposed annex.

Joint order introduced by Alderman Cosgrove, providing for an appropriation of $1800, was adopted. Mr. Cosgrove spoke in support of his order. He said the necessity of such an improvement could not be consistently questioned.

Alderman Allen was not convinced that the annex was really needed. He did not understand why the matter could not be referred to the lands and buildings committee as such matters always are. Alderman Rourke spoke at some length in favor of the order and Messrs. Hayes, Walker and Fairweather followed with favorable remarks. The order prevailed, eight voting for it and one absent.

Thomas Hennessy's petition for permission to alter a wooden building in Hard street, to enlarge the Rollaway, was referred to the lands and buildings committee.

Petition of the Shaw Machine company for the extension of the sewer in Middlesex street about 700 feet to drain the proposed new machine shop, was referred with petitions for sewers in Hildreth, Brooks and Fletcher streets.

Agent Knapp's communication relative to the recent smallpox epidemic, and an accompanying joint order appropriating $2300 to pay the bill, were referred on Alderman Braden's motion to the appropriations committee.

The committee on street lighting sent in a recommendation for gas lights in Grace street, and a resolution for the lights was adopted. Alderman Hayes said the committee on street lighting "recommend lights for other sections of the city while the people over in Pawtucketville are losing themselves every night. It is so dark over there nights that a man can't find the house he lives in. The committee ought to get a move on and give us light."

Petition from C. P. Sauls for permission to remove a building from Thorndike street to Lincoln street was read. A hearing was asked for September 12. Alderman Allen said he couldn't see the necessity of granting a hearing. "The building is on the way to its destination now. It will reach its new site before September 12, so what's the use of giving the hearing." The hearing was ordered.

Joint order introduced by Alderman Allen, providing that Depot square be officially named Livingston square, referred to the street committee.

A recess of ten minutes was voted at 9.05. The board reassembled at 9.40 and adjourned without further business.

COMMON COUNCIL.

President Dodge called to order at 8.20.

The $50,000 sewer loan failed of concurrence 16 to 2, less than the required two-thirds, Leach and Wilder in the negative. Councilman Clough moved reconsideration at the next meeting. A recess was taken.

On reassembling the joint provision for printing the municipal register, the reference of the mayor's message on the Lyon street school and of the O'Connell petition in relation to the same were concurred in. When the $1800 loan for the two-room annex at the Lyon street school came up Councilmen Carr, McAloon and others spoke in favor. President Dodge called Councilman Blake to the chair and took the floor in favor. Councilmen Cheney, Morse and McMahon also spoke in favor and expressed surprise that the basement should ever been thought of. The loan then passed in concurrence by a unanimous vote.

The $35,000 loan for street department purposes came up. President Dodge, who remained on the floor, opposed. He said it was poor policy to borrow money for current expenses. Councilman Cheney was as strongly in favor and claimed that the streets were in tough condition.

Councilman Morse was against and Councilman Carr in favor. McMahon was in favor and Allard opposed. Alderman Hayes wanted to say something for the street committee, but failed to get unanimous consent, as President Dodge objected on the ground that the alderman was not a member of the lower branch.

Councilman Blake wanted President Dodge to return to the chair, but the latter said he could not resume while the matter was pending. Councilman Blake, who wanted to speak in favor for the street committee, vacated the chair to do so, and called Councilman J. W. Daly to the rostrum.

When the matter came to a vote it failed of passage by the requisite two-thirds, the vote being 12 to 6—Allard, Dodge, Leach, Morse, White and Wilder in the negative. Councilman Carr moved reconsideration at the next meeting.

The Allen proposal to name the new square at Thorndike street, Livingston square, and the board of health transfer of $2300 for smallpox expenses were referred in concurrence.

At 9.45 the council adjourned until tonight.

SIX CARS

LEFT LOWELL ON THE REVERE EXCURSION.

Six cars from this city and one from Nashua carried about 400 people to Revere beach this morning, this being one of the regular excursions to the beach. This is by far the biggest number that has enjoyed the trip since the limited excursion was adopted several weeks ago.

The cars left Merrimack square at 8.15 and the return trip will be made about seven o'clock in the evening.

Match race, Mercier's rink, Friday evening.

BLOOD POISON is the worst disease on earth, yet the easiest to cure WHEN YOU KNOW WHAT TO DO. Many have pimples, spots on the skin, sores in the mouth, ulcers, falling hair, bone pains, catarrh, and don't know it is BLOOD POISON. Send to Dr. Brown, 935 Arch st., Philadelphia, Penn., for BROWN'S BLOOD CURE, $2.00 per bottle; lasts one month. Sold in Lowell only by Falls & Burkinshaw, 418 Middlesex st., cor. Thorndike.

GIRL DROWNED

This May be a Case of Suicide

SPRINGFIELD, Aug. 4—Whether Miss Celia Simons committed suicide or was accidentally drowned in the Connecticut river is a matter on which there was divided opinion yesterday.

Miss Simons lived at 11 Pine street, Holyoke, and came to Springfield Wednesday evening with her chum, Miss Catherine Steiger of 11 Pine street, Holyoke. In company with William Fahring and Cecil Spalding of this city, whom they met by appointment, they went boating on the river.

Near the South End bridge Miss Simons fell or jumped overboard and was drowned. The drowning occurred about 11 p. m. and search was begun for the body early yesterday morning. It was recovered by the police soon after daylight.

The drowning is surrounded by unusual circumstances. Before leaving home Wednesday evening Miss Simons said to her mother: "It will be the last time you will have to fasten this dress." On the way to Springfield she handed her ring and pocketbook to Miss Steiger with the remark, "Keep it for me. I may never want it again."

Miss Simons and Fahring were in one boat and Miss Steiger and Spalding in another. The boats were in close proximity to each other, the four young people talking back [illegible] forth. Miss Simons said to [illegible] "If I jumped overboard would [illegible] me?" Fahring, supposing [illegible] to be made in jest, replied in the [illegible]. Suddenly there was a [illegible] Miss Simons had disappeared.

Fahring caught [illegible] her sinking form and plunged [illegible] the river after her. His efforts were unsuccessful and the party notified [illegible] of the occurrence. The [illegible] and women had known one [illegible] for several months. The [illegible] no reason to doubt the stories [illegible] Simons' companions.

Miss Simons who was [illegible] years old, was employed [illegible] establishment in Holyoke.

EQUITABLE LIFE

Morton Wants to Know Value of Property

NEW YORK, Aug. 4—Two experts have been appointed by Paul Morton to value every piece of real estate in which the Equitable Life Assurance society has an interest, says the Tribune today. He is stated to have taken this action yesterday when he received the reports of expert accountants. These reports, it is alleged, indicate the possibility of extensive over valuation.

The society owns in this country and abroad real estate valued at approximately $34,000,000. According to the Tribune it is thought possible that this amount will have to be reduced while the valuation of parcels on which loans are outstanding may have to be reduced by at least ten per cent. The last annual report to the state department gave the value of real estate owned by the society at $38,854,647.

Of this sum buildings occupied by the society in New York, Boston, St. Louis, Des Moines, Denver, Memphis and in Paris, France, Madrid, Spain, Vienna, Austria, Berlin, Prussia, Santiago, Chile, City of Mexico; Sydney, N. S. Wales and Melbourne, Australia are stated to be worth $11,373,150, while buildings in N. Y. city, Jersey City, Milford, N. Y., East Orange, Plainfield, Bayonne and Bergen Point, N. J., are valued at over $5,000,000.

SURRENDERED

Russian Garrison at Sakhalin Gives Up

TOKIO, Aug. 4.—Noon.—A report giving details of the final pursuit and surrender of the majority of the Russian garrison on Sakhalin island has been received as follows:

"An independent cavalry column on the afternoon of July 28, attacked the enemy south of Paleo and routed him, driving him southward, capturing two field guns, besides a number of rifles and a quantity of ammunition.

"On July 29, the cavalry, being reinforced, vigorously pursued the enemy south of Taylan, which lies 25 miles south of Rykoff. The enemy halted at Onol, 25 miles south Taylan, and at 5 o'clock on the morning of July 30, sent a letter under a flag of truce to the Japanese commanding officer from Gen. Llapnoff, the Russian governor, saying that the lack of bandage material and medicines and the consequent inability to succor the wounded, compelled him, from a sense of humanity, to terminate hostilities.

"The commander of the Japanese force replied, demanding the delivery of all war supplies and property of the Russian government, the uninjured, and the delivery of all maps, records and papers relating to the Russian civil and military administration and requiring their delivery at 10 o'clock on the morning of July 31, otherwise an attacking movement would immediately be started.

"Col. Tolivitch, on behalf of Governor Llapnoff, met Col. Koizumi, the Japanese chief of staff, on the morning of July 31, and accepted the proposed terms.

Gov. Llapnoff, 70 officers and 3200 men of the Russian garrison then surrendered. The spoils, consisting of clothing, papers and military supplies, are now under investigation."

CARD OF THANKS.

The undersigned hereby extend their sincere thanks to the friends who so liberally contributed flowers at the funeral of our son, Ralph, and to all others whose sympathy and assistance were otherwise so kindly expressed in this, our time of bereavement.

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$12.98 Ladies' 20 year Waltham or Elgin regular price $20.00.

$ 6.98 Ladies' Open Face Silver and Enamel, regular price $11.00.

$25.00 to $100.00 Ladies' and Gents' Fine 14k Gold and Diamond Case, fitted with high grade movements.

These are a few specials. We carry everything in the watch line from $1.00 up at prices that sell the goods.

The best Silver Polish in the world, 2 jars 25c, regular 25c jar. Our line of Back Combs and Novelties is most complete.

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Men's Finest Suits in cheviots and worsteds, that sold earlier at $13, $15 and $18,
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Men's Fine Suits in worsteds and cheviots, that sold earlier at $10, $12 and $13,
Stock Clearing Sale Price **$7.95**

Men's All Wool Suits in worsteds and cheviots, that sold earlier at $8.00 and $10,
Stock Clearing Sale Price **$6.50**

Men's All Wool Suits in cheviots and cassimeres, that sold earlier at $7.00 and $8.00,
Stock Clearing Sale Price **$5.95**

Men's Single Breasted Suits in cassimeres and cheviots, that sold earlier at $6.00 and $6.50,
Stock Clearing Sale Price **$4.95**

Men's Single Breasted Suits, in cheviots and cassimeres that sold earlier at $5.00 and $6.00,
Stock Clearing Sale Price **$3.95**

Men's Worsted and Cheviot Pants that sold earlier at $3.00 and $3.50,
Stock Clearing Sale Price **$2.00**

After Stock-Taking Prices

—AT THE—

MERRIMACK

With the completion of Inventory, the Merrimack inaugurates a sale of all Spring and Summer Wearables. Everything in clothes for men, women and boys is treated to a generous cut from regular prices—on the broken lines and odds and ends the prices have been made so low as to ensure a speedy sale. After a most successful season, we feel that our customers are entitled to a share of the profits. Here's how we distribute them:

Men's Dept.

Men's and Youths' Suits, in fancy worsted, cassimere or blue serge. Also Outing Suits in serge, fancy worsted and homespun.
$15.00 for the $18, $20 and $22 grades.
$11.50 for the $15 and $18 grades.
$10.00 for the $12, $15 and $18 grades.
$7.50 for the $10, $12 and $15 grades.
At $5.00 Outing Suits that were $7.50, $9 and $10.

Men's and Youths' Trousers, in regular or outing styles—fancy worsted, cheviots and wool crash.
$3.75 for the $5 and $6 grades.
$3.00 for the $4 grades.
$2.35 for the $3 and $3.50 grades.
$1.65 for the $2 and $2.50 grades.

Men's Rain Coats $17.50, were $20, $22, $23 and $25.
Men's Fancy Wash Vests 85c, were $1.50 and $2.
Men's Odd Vests (small sizes), 50c, were $1.50 and $2.
Men's Fine Negligee Shirts 85c, were $1 and $1.50.
Men's Straw Hats 50c, were $1 and $1.50.
Men's Jersey Ribbed Underwear 29c, were 50c.

Boys' Dept.

Boys' Two-Piece Suits $1.95, $2.35, $3.75, reduced from $2.50, $3, $4, $5 and $6.

Wash Suits, Russian or Sailor Styles, 65c, 79c, $1.15, $1.50, reduced from $1, $1.50, $2.

Wash Blouse Waists, K. & E. Make, 50c and $1.00, reduced from 75c, $1, $1.50 and $2.

Special—Boys' Outing Suits and Three-Piece Suits, in Odd Lots, $1.95, were $5 to $10.

Women's Dept.

Tailored Suits, in taffeta, silk, Panama, voile, serge, broadcloth and mixtures.
$19.75 for the $27.50, $30, $32.50 and $35 grades.
$14.75 for the $22.50, $25 and $27.50 grades.
$12.50 for the $18.50 and $20 grades.
$9.75 for odd suits that sold up to $27.50.
$4.95 for odd suits that sold up to $20.

Shirt Waist Suits, in Silk and Mohair.
$14.75 for the $20, $22.50, $25 grades.
$9.75 for the $15. $18.00 grades.
Special at $3.95—Mohair suits that were $6.95
Shirt Waist Suits of linen, lawn or chambray, reduced to **$1.95, $3.95, $5 and $6.95.**

Rain Coats, in tan, Oxford and olive shades, of cravenetted materials; also fancy worsteds.
$14.75 for the $20, $22.50 and $25 grades.
$12.50 for the $18.50 and $20 grades.
$9.75 for garments that sold up to $18.00.

Women's Skirts in voile, Panama, serge, cheviot, broadcloth and mixtures.
Reduced to $1.95, $3.95, $5, $5.95, $7.50
Formerly priced at $2.50 to $12.50.
Special at $3.95—Skirts that sold as high as $10.

Women's Dainty Waists for street or evening wear, in silk, crepe de chine, lace or linen.
Reduced to $1.95, $2.95, $3.95, $5, $6.95
Formerly priced at $3 to $12.50.
Special at 95c—Lawn and Muslin Waists that sold up to $3.

Women's Silk Petticoats $3.95 and $6.95, were $5, $7.50 and $10.
Muslin Underwear and Hosiery at Half Price.

This is an unusual opportunity for vacationists to provide for their needs. We recommend an early inspection as many of the best trades are in small lots that won't last long.

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SOUTHERN DIV.

From Middlesex St. To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
5.46	6.50	6.00	7.04
6.28	7.40	6.30	7.26
6.39	7.30	7.34	8.54
6.47	7.53	8.15	8.59
7.01	8.00	9.00	9.37
7.21	8.05	9.20	9.57
7.31	8.30	10.00	10.37
7.45	8.25	10.17	11.20
7.52	8.55	11.30	12.07
8.37	9.40	12.00	12.56
9.33	10.19	1.00	1.37
11.07	12.02	1.15	1.52
11.13	12.34	2.00	3.01
12.41	1.00	3.00	3.37
1.55	2.32	3.30	4.05
2.35	3.48	3.47	5.00
3.47	4.39	4.14	5.30
4.02	4.43	5.00	5.37
4.28	5.30	5.38	6.23
5.22	6.15	5.47	6.34
5.49	7.09	6.14	7.30
6.12	6.55	7.30	8.08
7.31	8.15	8.31	9.08
8.59	9.51	10.30	11.34
		11.20	12.21

WESTERN DIV.

From Middlesex St. To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.30	7.35	7.30	8.31
8.00	8.34	9.25	10.33
9.35	10.33	10.50	11.40
10.50	12.00	11.50	1.05
12.05	1.22	2.15	3.18
12.47	1.50	3.30	4.50
2.35	3.22	4.59	6.30
3.10	4.00	6.00	7.02
3.55	5.00	6.35	7.43
5.05	6.45	9.40	10.35
6.15	7.10	*11.15	12.11
7.00	8.00		
8.30	10.23		

* Runs to Lowell Wednesdays and Saturdays only.

SUNDAY TRAINS

WESTERN DIVISION

8.15	9.25	8.00	8.18
12.10	1.15	12.00	1.00
3.55	4.50	5.05	6.20
5.20	6.20	8.40	9.40
8.45	9.42		

SOUTHERN DIVISION

6.20	7.30	9.00	10.00
7.31	8.05	10.00	10.57
8.46	9.40	11.30	12.07
9.20	10.15	1.00	1.57
2.25	3.27	5.00	5.58
5.10	6.00	7.30	8.08
6.15	6.55	8.30	9.06
7.31	8.15	9.00	10.02
		10.15	11.10

LOCAL NEWS

Tobin's Printing—Associate Bldg. Tel.

Maker's picture sale now going on.

J. J. Cluin Co., expert watch repairers, 19-23 Palmer street.

Hire your hacks at O'Donnell's stables. Tel. 439-4.

Match race, Mercier's rink, Friday evening.

We please others; we can please you if you give us a trial, at Corey's lunch Cafe, 43 Prescott street.

Mr. William Sullivan of Maple street and Thomas Fay of London street, are spending a two weeks' vacation at Revere beach.

Who was the Irish missionary who was the first to introduce Christianity into Scotland?

You can find out by reading the Stoddard Lectures.

CARD OF THANKS.

We, the undersigned, take this means of extending our sincere thanks to all our relatives and friends who sympathized with us in the death of our beloved son and we especially thank the many friends for the beautiful floral offerings received, in particular Mr. C. E. Fowle and his employes.

MR. AND MRS. PETER BRADY.

THINK OF THIS!

Teeth extracted painlessly by Dr. Washburn, dentist, 97 Central street, corner Market.

CARD OF THANKS.

We, the undersigned, desire to convey our sincere thanks to the many kind friends who did so much to assist and console us on the death of our beloved mother. For their sympathy, their floral offerings and acts of kindness we are deeply grateful.

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THE LATE NORMAN E. WILLIAMS.

LOST HIS LIFE

Norman E. Williams Drowned Yesterday

WHILE BATHING IN BAPTIST POND

Brother Tried Hard to Save Him

Norman E. Williams, aged 19 years, son of George H. Williams of Lincoln street, was drowned, while swimming in Baptist pond, South Chelmsford, yesterday. The body of the unfortunate man was recovered an hour after the fatality happened, and the remains were removed to this city by Undertaker Weinbeck.

Young Williams had gone into camp on Wednesday at the pond with his brother, George B. Williams, his brother-in-law, Albert J. Ryan, and the latter's wife. They had planned to remain there during the month of August.

About 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon Norman put on his bathing suit and went into the pond for a swim. He took a boat and rowed out into deep water in order to dive. He came up after his first dive struggling and crying for help and three young women who were out rowing realized that he was drowning and gave the alarm. His brother then went out into the water to save him and getting close to his drowning brother, the latter grabbed him and pulled him under. Obliged to save his own life, the brother freed himself and swam back to the shore while Norman disappeared from view.

The body was recovered an hour later and Drs. Varney of Chelmsford and Joslyn of Graniteville, who had been called in, made an examination that showed that the young man was dead.

Undertaker J. A. Weinbeck was then notified and the body was taken to Lowell. The deceased had a wide circle of friends who were shocked at his tragic death. He was identified with the Blossom street church and will be deeply mourned there. For three years he was employed at the market of E. L. Wiggin, in Westford street, but about a year ago entered the employ of John H. Pray Sons & Co. of Boston. He had suffered with a weak heart and it is probable that he was stricken with one of his spells as he dove.

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Match race, Mercier's rink, Friday evening.

DARING ATTEMPT

To Blow Up Ship in Mid Ocean

12 CAPPED FUSES WERE FOUND

Among Coal in the Ship's Hold

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 4.—An attempt to blow up a ship in mid ocean has been reported by Captain Touze of the French ship Asuleres, which has arrived here from Swansea, England, loaded with coal. He left that port in January last and six weeks later when far out at sea a dozen capped fuses, such as are used by miners to explode charges of dynamite, were discovered in the hold of the ship among the coal. Had one of the fuses become ignited by a shock, in a part of the hold where coal gas had accumulated the ship would undoubtedly have been blown to atoms. Two or three of them had exploded but fortunately at points where there was no gas and consequently no damage was done.

The presence of the fuses among the coal was discovered only by accident.

THEY WILL MEET

BUT COUNCILMEN CANNOT ACT ON LOANS.

The common council will meet this evening but will not be able to act upon the loans that were thrown down last night. The meeting tonight will be an adjourned meeting, a continuation of last night's meeting, and no action can be taken on the motion of reconsideration made last night. It is thought that a special meeting of the common council will be called for Monday afternoon or evening.

SET FREE

SUSPECTED FIREBUG WAS ALLOWED TO GO.

WATERBURY, Conn., Aug. 4.—Clyde H. Miller, the trolley conductor who was arrested last night on suspicion that he was the person responsible for numerous fires in the tenement district of the city lately, was released in the city court today, the charge against him being nulled on motion of the prosecuting attorney. It appeared upon investigation that Miller's arrest was due to a misunderstanding and that he is innocent.

OVERSEER DUFF

HAD HIS ARM BROKEN IN FALLING.

Overseer of the Poor John J. Duff met with a painful accident the day before yesterday which will necessitate his being confined to the house for some time.

He with two of his children had gone to McManus' outing at Mountain Rock during the afternoon. Meeting a friend Mr. Duff stepped out of the wagon and was engaged in conversation when the horse becoming impatient, started ahead.

When the horse started Mr. Duff ran towards the animal and in so doing stepped in a hole and was thrown to the ground, his entire weight coming on his right arm, which upon examination showed that one of the bones was broken.

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Good assortment of white trimmed hats, regular $6 and $7 hats for $2.98
Children's trimmed hats for 98c and $1.48
Children's Rolling Sailors with band and ends, regular $1.25 and $1.48, for 50c
Untrimmed hats for ..10c, 15c and 25c
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Discount Friday and Saturday

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FUNERALS

ROGERS—The funeral of William Rogers took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, 65 Butterfield street. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery. Undertaker J. F. Rogers had charge.

JOYAL—The funeral of Mrs. Frank Joyal took place yesterday from the rooms of Undertaker Archambault in Merrimack street. The procession proceeded to St. Jean Baptiste church where the funeral services were conducted. Rev. Fr. Boyer, O. M. I., officiated. The bearers were Leopold Gilbeau, Victor Perrault, Willie Lussier and Charles Turcotte.

The committal prayers were read at the grave in St. Joseph's cemetery by Rev. Fr. Audibert, O. M. I. Undertaker Archambault had charge of the funeral arrangements.

Deeper Cuts
IN PRICES
For Friday and Saturday

A Rare Chance. Don't Miss It

Silk Suit Chance
Any suit in the store, some were $27.50. Sale, price
$10

Raincoat Chance
Choice of 35 Raincoats less than cost of material. Sold to $18.75
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$6 Mohair Suits 2.85
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After-Inventory Offerings for Saturday.

Regular 25c child's and misses' lisle thread vests; high neck and long or short sleeves, low neck or sleeveless. Knee pants to match. While they last 1-2 price.
12 1-2c

Regular 25c misses' and child's "Imperial dye" and "Gordon dye," fine quality ribbed lisle and lisle lace hose. Double soles, heels and toes. Also a few pairs boys' ribbed hose. While they last,
15c

Regular $2.50 stylish voile waists in all the wanted shades. Prettily made with shirred yoke and shoulders of a fine quality voile. Just the thing for these cool evenings. While they last less than 1-2 price.
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Lowell, Friday, Aug. 4, 1905.

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White Linen and P. K. Skirts
$1.98 White P. K. Skirts for 98c
$2.98 White P. K. Skirts for $1.50
$2.98 White Linen Skirts for $1.98
$3.98 White Linen Skirts for $2.98
$4.50 White Linen Skirts for $3.98

Separate Linen Coats
$3.98 White Linen Duck Tourist Coats for $2.98
$5.00 and $7.50 White Linen and Crash Tourist Coats for $3.98

White Duck and Linen Suits
$3.98 White Duck Tourist Coat Suits for $2.99
$5.75 Natural Linen, 44 inch Jacket Suits for $3.98
$7.50 White Linen Jacket and Coffee Coat Suits $3.98
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